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NEW CORPORATION TAKES OVER OLD

Aetna-Connellsville Will Operate the Holdings of Dunlap Concern.

REORGANIZATION IS EFFECTED

Cyrus Echard Chosen President and Joseph B. Echard the General Manager of the Plant—Connellsville Stockholders Largely Interested.

A new coking corporation, the Aetna Connellsville Coke Company, yesterday took over a half interest in the Dunlap Connellsville Coke Company. A complete new organization was effected. The action is merely changing the name of the concern from the Dunlap Connellsville to the Aetna-Connellsville and taking in of new stockholders.

The following officers of the new organization were elected: Cyrus Echard, president; D. M. Parkhill, vice president; Francis M. Ritchey, Jr., secretary; Joseph B. Echard, general manager. Joseph B. Echard was the manager of the old Dunlap Connellsville company.

The following directors were elected: Wade H. Echard, L. F. Miller of Pennsville, James B. Millar J. Cyrus Echard, George W. Campbell, Francis M. Ritchey, Jr., Joseph B. Echard, D. M. Parkhill, J. L. Fritsch, W. W. Seymons of Scottdale and Wiley I. Byers of Uniontown.

The new company will take over the works of the Dunlap concern. They have 119 ovens in Redstone township on the Dunlap creek. They own 155 acres of coal and may increase their holdings in that section.

At present the company is operating 79 ovens, about three-fourths of their capacity. Inability to secure labor has been the cause of not running full. The company is now advertising for men. When these can be secured the works will start up full as orders have been received guaranteeing operation for some time to come. The company is exceedingly hopeful over the prospects of continued prosperity. The charter of the Aetna Connellsville company has been received.

ELECTRIC SHOW DRAWS BIG CROWDS; 1,000 ATTEND

Estimated That Number Passed Through the Doors Yesterday Afternoon and Evening.

Approximately 1,000 people passed the door at the Connellsville Electric Show yesterday afternoon and last night. A majority of the attendants in the afternoon were women. Several new features have been introduced. Other new innovations will be presented from time to time during the remainder of the ten days.

A new booth will be occupied this afternoon and tonight by the Yough Ice Cream Company. The method of making ice cream by electricity will be shown. Small samples will be distributed in cones.

The Bell Telephone Company has installed three new phones in the room. Two phones through which visitors can talk to all local points have been placed in the booths of the West Penn Electric Company and the Wells-Mills Electric Company. Another pay station phone has been installed to protect the promoters against long distance calls.

THE KEYSTONE TUBE WORKS WILL MAKE SQUARE TUBING

New Extension to Plant Will Be Built at Once and Machinery Installed.

With the intention of adding an entirely new department to their shops, the Keystone Tube Works has let a contract for the extension. Work on the new department will start at an early date.

The Keystone company will make square tubing. All the tubing now made at the works is round and the manufacture of square tubing is a distinct step forward. Expensive new machinery has been contracted for and will be delivered shortly.

The new department will be housed in an addition to the main building. Work will be started early next week and it is expected that the addition will be ready for the new machinery about April 1.

TWICE CAUGHT BEGGING; ORDERED TO GET OUT

Burgess Evans Gives Edward Lewis, Colored, 15 Minutes to Leave Town.

Edward Lewis, aged 42, a diminutive negro, was twice caught begging on the Pinnacle by Constable Charles Wilson. This morning he was brought to the police station and locked up. Lewis bears a striking resemblance to George Sydney, of "Busy Izzy" fame, as the comedian appears in make up. He said he could leave town shortly and Burgess Evans gave him 15 minutes to vanish.

Frank Johnson, colored, was given 48 hours for being drunk. He admitted the charge.

Infant Child Dead.

An infant child of John Hams died yesterday at the family residence at Davidson. The mother of the child died six days ago. Interment this afternoon in Hill Grove Cemetery.

BURGESS SUSPENDS EVERETT FROM THE POLICE FORCE

Consults With President Millard of Town Council and Action Follows.

Burgess J. L. Evans last evening suspended Edward Everett from the police force. He took this action following a consultation with President James B. Millard of Town Council. Everett was appointed to the force by Chairman E. U. Hetzel of the Police Committee and sworn in by Squire Lawrence Donegan when Burgess Evans declines.

The Burgess takes the stand that Chairman Hetzel is without authority to appoint a member to the force. He further states that there was no meeting of the committee and no need for a police officer that required an immediate addition to the force. President Millard apparently supports the stand of the Burgess.

That the Burgess and not the Chairman of the Police Committee has authority to appoint police officers Burgess Evans says is clearly indicated in the ordinances of the borough.

Chairman E. U. Hetzel has called a meeting of the Police Committee this evening when the Everett matter will be taken up. Hetzel says Everett will be reinstated by the committee and that Burgess Evans will have no authority to suspend the officer without just and sufficient cause. Hetzel denies that he named Everett without consulting other members of the committee.

UNIONTOWN JUSTICES ARE KEPT BUSY WITH HEARINGS

Three Cases Are Heard at the County Seat by Squires This Morning.

UNIONTOWN, Feb. 24.—The Justices of the Peace were kept busy this morning hearing criminal cases. George Beggs was committed to jail by Squire D. M. Bieser for surety of the peace, the information being made by his mother, Mrs. Belle Boggs. They formerly lived at Dunbar but now have their home in Uniontown.

Michael Griffin was held to answer charges of desertion preferred by his wife, Dora Griffin.

Squire Boyle held Sullivan Camden for court to answer charges of larceny from the person. John Gasso of Brownfield was the prosecutor. Clark Little, arrested in connection with the same case, was discharged. Camden is said to have secured $6 or $8 in cash.

JOHN D. CAN WEAR GOLD BADGE AND FOLLOW PARADE

Will Get a Ride on the New Auto Hose Truck When He Comes From South.

United Press Telegram.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 24.—When John D. Rockefeller returns from the south in the spring, he will be given a ride on the new auto engine which will be housed shortly in the quarters of the Columbia Hose Company in Sleepy Hollow, adjoining Rockefeller's estate. This was decided on by the company when it received Rockefeller's check for $700 to complete the fund to buy the engine. Rockefeller will also be made an honorary member of the company which will entitle him to wear a gold badge, a red shirt and march behind the apparatus on feast days.

MEXICAN WAR VETERAN TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Henry Reager and His Wife Were Married 64 Years Ago Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reager will quietly celebrate their 64th wedding anniversary tomorrow at their home on Trump avenue. The affair will be observed with a family dinner, the guests including the two children, Miss Dorothy Reager, Harry Reager, and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Duncan and child of Dunbar.

Mr. Reager is in his 87th year and is a veteran of the Civil and Mexican war. He is in fairly good health. Mrs. Reager is 79 years old. In addition to two children there are seven grandchildren and one great grandchild. Mrs. Alex Duncan is a grandchild.

BIG MOTOR CAR ORDER.

Greenville Concern Gets Contract For 13,500 Automobiles.

GREENVILLE, Pa., Feb. 24.—The Greenville Metal Products Company has secured a contract from a western automobile company for the construction of 13,500 automobiles to be delivered within the next five years. 1,000 cars to be delivered during 1912 and 2,500 for each of the succeeding five years.

The contract calls for a medium-priced five-passenger car and the 1912 output has already been sold.

For "Votes For Women."

PARIS, Feb. 24.—Deputy Godard has given a formal promise to a group of 25 French suffragettes, who invaded the Chamber of Deputies, that as soon as the question of electoral reform again comes up before the Chamber, he will champion the cause of "Votes for Women." Mme. Marguerite Durand, the famous French "woman's righster," headed the delegation.

Died in Wilkinsburg.

Mrs. Anna McClintock died Wednesday at the home of her brother, Henry Deltzel, in Wilkinsburg. The interment will take place at Harmedsville tomorrow morning. Mrs. McClintock has several relatives in Connellsville.

YOUNG MEYERSDALE WOMAN BADLY BRUISED AT STOVE

Hot Water Front Bursts in Stove and Serious Injuries Result.

Special to The Courier.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 24.—Miss Belle Blubaugh, who is employed as a domestic at the home of Barron E. Shipley, Salisburystreet, South Side, yesterday morning met with an accident that came very nearly proving fatal. The water front in the kitchen range, owing to the fire having gone out, became frozen, and shortly after the unfortunate woman had kindled the fire the water front bursted, shattering the range, pieces of which flew in every direction. Upon examination by a hastily summoned surgeon, it was found that Miss Blubaugh, who was picked up from the floor unconscious, had sustained severe bruises and contusions all over her body, the worst being the fracture of her right arm at two places, severe gashes on the head and neck that required many stitches, besides other cuts less serious in their nature.

FAST FREIGHT NO. 94 HAS SMASHEUP; TRAINS ARE LATE

Two Refrigerator Cars Badly Damaged Near Bidwell and the Duquesne Is Behind.

Two refrigerator cars were derailed and badly smashed, and traffic on the Connellsville division delayed for upwards of three hours at "HK" tower, near Bidwell at 5.15 this morning. The cause of the wreck is unknown. One refrigerator car was badly smashed and the side of the other car damaged.

This morning's wreck is the third for No. 94 in the last two weeks. No. 94 was in the wreck when 16 coal cars were smashed up and when a car of breakfast food was scattered over the mountain side.

L. W. Geiser was the conductor and James Warden the engineer. The engine was No. 2571. Duquesne Limited was held up at Confluence for upwards of three hours. The track was cleared shortly before 9 o'clock. A wreck train was sent out from Connellsville.

REPORTED ITALIANS OPENED BOMBARDMENT UPON BEIRUT

Feared That Lives of Foreigners May Be Endangered—Many Tourists There.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—A dispatch today from Beirut, chief sea port of Syria, states that three Italian warships started to bombard the city shortly before noon. Shells burst in the principal streets and the report states it is feared the casualties will be heavy.

The population is panic-stricken and many residents have fled to the interior. It was feared here that the lives of the foreigners might be endangered.

Tourists on their way to Jerusalem often stop off at Beirut. It has a population of 120,000, and is one of the most interesting cities of Asiatic Turkey. The report, however, has not been confirmed.

MANAGER WILSON LEAVES FOR PITTSBURG; WANTS MEN

Will Return Here After Schedule Committee Has Met and Start Things Going.

After a two day stay in Connellsville W. E. Wilson left last night for Pittsburg. He will scout after players for the Coke team and on Wednesday will attend a meeting of the franchise holders to adopt a schedule. He will return to Connellsville immediately after the meeting and take up the matter of forming a permanent organization.

Prominent fans around town who have in former years been identified with baseball have announced the intention of not taking an active interest this year. They will accord the team hearty support, they say.

A. J. BARR, PITTSBURG PUBLISHER IS STRICKEN

Falls on Pavement and Dies Shortly After in the Duquesne Club.

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 24.—A. J. Barr, formerly publisher of the Pittsburg Post and Sun, died this morning at the Duquesne Club.

He was taken ill on the street and was hurried into the club where he died a few minutes later. He was 57 years of age.

MRS. STREYLE DEAD.

Woman Known in Connellsville Expires at Her Pittsburg Home.

Kunnigunda Streyle, wife of William F. Streyle, died Thursday at her home, 215 Lelia street, Mt. Washington, Pittsburg. Deceased was 40 years old and is known in Connellsville. Her maiden name was Miss Kunnigunda Bernecker. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, two sisters and one brother.

Bensik Drops Dead.

Mike Bensik, aged 35, dropped dead from heart disease at the plant of the United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Company at Scottdale shortly before noon. He lived at Everson and leaves a wife and two children in the old country.

Hotels for Poor.

In the Japanese capital there are 535 poor men's hotels.

Rain tonight and probably Sunday; warmer tonight is the noon weather forecast.

The Temperature Record.

	Weather	1911	1912
Feb. 23.—2 A. M.	Fair	26	22
Feb. 23.—5 P. M.	Fair	35	38
Feb. 24.—8 A. M.	Fair	31	32

Mild weather yesterday and today has caused much of the snow and ice to disappear although many pavements are covered with slippery surface that will require considerable warmth to thaw. Although the weather is not too cold for comfort, the air has a snap and bite to it.

MANY PARENTS PAY VISITS TO SCHOOLS

More Than 2,500 Took Advantage of Patrons' Day to Witness Work.

SOUTH SIDE HAD THE MOST

Nine Hundred Registred There, Most of Them Yesterday Afternoon—High School Attracted But 73—Teachers Are Much Pleased With Showing.

More than 2,500 persons visited the public schools yesterday. It was patrons' day and the official figures given out by Superintendent Stanley F. Ashe before leaving for St. Louis was 2,531 visits. This morning High School Principal B. U. F. Cobaugh reported the attendance in detail

The South Side carried high honors. No less than 900 visitors went to that school. Most of them came in the afternoon. But little visiting was done during the morning. The High School ran way behind, only 73 visits being made there.

The teachers are more than pleased with the number of visits made yesterday. The day is considered highly successful especially in view of the fact that no special program had been arranged The pupils were put through the regular routine and visitors saw just how they are taught each day

The attendance of visitors at the various schools was as follows:

South Side, 900. Fourth Ward, 534; Second Ward, 490; West Side, 331; Third Ward, 303; High School, 73.

NEWS OF THE DAY AS TOLD BY TELEGRAPH.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Assemblyman Macgregor has introduced a bill which provides a fine for dentist's who reveal the fact that their patients have false teeth.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Samuel Odell, aged 71, a veteran of the Civil War, obtained a divorce because his wife kept 35 cats

ITHACA, N. Y.—Awakened at midnight by a rat, Mrs. Edward Van Order dropped dead of fright.

NEW YORK—Four baby boys left by the stork at Bellevue Hospital on Washington's birthday will all have the initials G. W.

COLUMBIA, Ky.—Johnny Morg, aged 124 years, said to be the oldest man in America, was found dead in his hut near here. He was a veteran of the war of 1812

TRENTON, N. J.—A bill introduced into the Assembly and backed by the State Game and Fish Commission, would place a tax of $1 on female cats.

MARSEILLES, Ills.—When Thomas G. Lantry, 70, learned that he was to secure a half million dollar estate for which he had been fighting in the courts for years, he dropped dead from the shock.

CHICAGO, Ills.—Pat Crowe, famous as the Cudhay kidnapper and bandit, has suffered his fiftieth arrest by the Chicago police He just came out of the hospital and beat up a hotel proprietor in a dispute.

CHICAGO, Ills.—Seventy-four pupils of Profs. Lewis Stuart, 67, of Chicago University, have arranged to pay him an annuity of $1,500 a year.

MURDER CHARGE LODGED AGAINST WINNIFRED ANKERS

Attendant at Brooklyn Nursery Admits Giving Oxalic Acid to Children.

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Feb 24.—A formal charge of murder was lodged against Winifred Ankers, the attendant at the Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital, who confessed that she murdered eight babies by placing oxalic acid in their food. She was remanded without bail to await the action of the Coroner. Meanwhile the District Attorney will have alienists examine her, as he considers it certain that she is insane. Officials of the hospital, however, are of the opinion that the woman is sane.

It was not until the police threatened to take her own child away from her that the woman confessed to the crimes.

After being remanded to jail without bail on a charge of connection with the death of eight infants in the Brooklyn Nursery, Winifred Ankers this afternoon repudiated her confession She openly asserted that it had been forced from her by the bulldozing methods of Detectives James McKirby and that there was not one word of truth in it.

CAPTAIN KIDD AFTER THE GUARDSMEN FOR ATTENDANCE

Will Endeavor to Secure Better Rating for Company D on This Point.

Early next week, Captain A. R. Kidd, of Company D, will send orders to members of the organization relative to the non-attendance at drill. A strenuous effort will be made to get a large turnout at each drill night. In the rating of the different companies of the Tenth regiment, Company D was given a low standing in regard to attendance.

The next inspection will be held probably in May at which time a rating will be given to each company. Lieutenant Donald Roth, who is attending school in New Jersey, went to Philadelphia early in the week to be mustered in with one of the regiments there so his attendance would help Company D. He was unable to enter.

BRAKEMAN BECKER HELD FOR ROBBERY OF TRAIN

Admits His Guilt at Hearing But Pleads Drink and Insanity as Defense.

United Press Telegram.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Feb 24.—Brakeman Fred A. Becker, the alleged bandit, was given a hearing today at Pakbgkk and on the charge of holding up the Baltimore & Ohio passenger train No. 1 on Monday night and relieving the passengers of their money and valuables, was held under the sum of $5,000 for action by the grand jury.

Becker admitted his guilt at the hearing but insisted that he must have been either drunk or insane. Becker's run is between Grafton and Cumberland.

SOLICITOR MUNSON WILL ASK COURT FOR DECISION

Bond Issue Will Be Taken Up on Tuesday, Following Action by Council.

Borough Solicitor F. D. Munson has been notified of the resolution passed by council at its last meeting asking that a decision be secured in the case of the bond issue. He will go to Uniontown on Tuesday and take the matter up personally with the court.

The stand taken by Council at its last meeting followed the request of citizens living in the East Park addition asking for the paving of Baldwin avenue. A resolution requesting the court to settle the bond issue was passed and the matter referred to Solicitor Munson.

LEAVES HOSPITAL.

Miss Anna Marks Was Taken There on Christmas Day.

Miss Anna Marks of Star Junction, who was painfully burned while impersonating Santa Clause on Christmas eve, was discharged today from the Cottage State hospital

Mrs Frances Mado, who underwent an operation for appendicitis was also discharged. Mrs. Mado resides at Indian Creek.

Troops to Border.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Convinced that a crisis is at hand in Mexico and that the life and safety of American citizens on the Texas border is menaced President Taft and Secretary of War Stimson decided to dispatch additional troops to aid those at El Paso. The declaration followed a series of conferences between the President and Stimson.

Call Bank Statements.

WASHINGTON D. C., Feb. 24.—The Controller of the Currency today issued a call on national banks for a report on their condition to Tuesday, February 20.

Speed of Locomotive.

A locomotive with ten cars must travel five miles before it can attain a speed of a mile a minute But at this speed it can be halted by airbrakes in 700 feet.

Visit of Stork.

The stork paid a visit this morning at 7 o'clock to the home of Mr. and Mrs. M Capin, No. 209 East Francis avenue and left a bouncing baby boy.

Picture Show in School.

A new public school building in Connecticut has a moving picture hall.

STRAW HATS AND LINEN DUSTERS IN ALASKA DOW

Freakish Twist of Japan Current Has Caused Unusual Weather Conditions.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Straw hats and linen dusters are being worn in Alaska during the mildest winter on record because the Japan current has unaccountably switched toward the Arctic territory. This remarkable occurrence, which it is said, may make Alaska a winter resort, was reported to Governor Clark of Alaska by the navy hydrographic office.

"Our investigations indicate the Alaskan climate is completely changed, possibly forever," said Capt. Harry S. Knapp, chief hydrographer.

"We now think the warm water of the Japanese current has been diverted to Alaska, causing the unprecedented warm weather. We think it possible that the change will be permanent. A thorough investigation is being made, reports being received by experts in Alaska and ocean navigators.

Governor Clark was told that recent earthquakes in the Aleutian islands may have caused the Japan current to strike Alaska.

"For the first time in Alaskan history snow has fallen in the southern portion since Christmas," said Governor Clark. "All along the coast there has never been such a warm season. Even in Dawson straw hats have been worn."

INDEPENDENTS DEFEAT MEYERSDALE; FAST GAME

Connellsville Team Now Claims the Amateur Championship of Western Pennsylvania.

The Connellsville Independents played to as large a crowd last night as did the Johnstown Central leaguers at Meyersdale and for the first time since its organization the Broadway Athletic Club of that place was beaten. The score was 28 to 25. The Meyersdale team had claimed the championship of Western Pennsylvania. The Independents have now assumed that title They have never been beaten during the two years of their existence.

The game was exciting throughout. Meyersdale took the lead at the jump off and maintained it up to 10-10 when the locals passed them. From that time on Connellsville was never headed. With two minutes to play the score was 26 to 25 in favor of the Independents. Brown sewed the game up with a field goal and the locals killed time for the remainder of the session.

Meyersdale will play a return game here at an early date.

AGED TOLEDO WOMAN IS SMOTHERED BY THUGS

Had Frequently Been Robbed in the Past But Last Time It Was Fatal.

United Press Telegram.

TOLEDO, O., Feb 24.—Mrs. Helena Madge, an aged shopkeeper, was killed here early this morning when robbers entered her shop, tore a money belt from her body and bound her to a chair and ransacked the little shop for the fortune the woman was generally supposed to have hidden on the premises. The coroner says the woman was smothered to death by the bandage the robbers placed over her mouth and nose.

"Mother" Madge, as she was called, had been robbed often enough to take this attempt without excitement She had been robbed a number of times before of amounts ranging from $5 00 to $1,000. She had been repeatedly urged to place her savings in a bank, but insisted upon keeping them about the shop. How much she lost this time is not known.

MRS. COSTELLO WILL BE BURIED TOMORROW

Well Known Connellsville Woman Was Called Suddenly by Death Yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Costello will take place from the Immaculate Conception Church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in St Vincent de Paul's cemetery at Leisenring No. 1 Mrs. Costello was in her 92nd year and death came as she was sleeping yesterday morning. She enjoyed good health up until a few days ago when she contracted a severe cold.

Deceased was born and reared in Ireland and was married in Ireland to Patrick Costello, who died two years ago. On coming to this country Mr. and Mrs Costello settled in Leisenring No. 3. For the past five years she had made her home with her granddaughters, the Misses Malloy, on East Peach street. The following children survive: Thomas Costello, Mrs. Anthony McNulty of Trotter, Mrs. Patrick Ford, Footedale, and Mrs. Martin Hynes, Ohio.

George Kenney's Funeral.

The funeral of George Kenney will take place from his home at Leisenring No 1 tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock Requiem high mass will be celebrated at 10 30 o'clock at St. Vincent's de Paul Church at Leisenring No. 1 by Rev. Father J. J. Greaney. Deceased was a member of Division No. 7, A. O. H., of Leisenring No. 1.

Services at Uniontown.

Rev. George Dietz will conduct Lenten services tomorrow afternoon at the English Lutheran church, Uniontown.

Pine Predominates.

Northern European forests consist almost wholly of white and pitch pine.

STRIKERS CANNOT DEPORT CHILDREN

Under Lead of Marshal Sullivan the Lawrence Police Interfere.

ADDS TO SITUATION'S GRAVITY

Strikers Charge That Orders are Given at Request of Mill Owners to Force Workers to Return if Their Children Must Suffer With Them.

United Press Telegram.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 24.—Fifty policemen under direct command of Marshal Sullivan and two companies of militia interfered today with the attempt of the strike committee to send fifty children from this city to outside towns, where they would be cared for.

Eight women, five men and ten children were arrested and rushed to the station house. The interference of the police and militia has added to the gravity of the situation. It follows the action of the military authorities last week when they announced that the strikers would be kept, whenever possible, from sending their children out of town.

The strike leaders openly charge that this action was taken at the behest of the mill owners, who know that if the children are kept here and forced to suffer, their parents will give up the struggle The strikers contend that if the children have plenty to eat elsewhere and are safely housed, the parents would get along somehow.

With charges of various natures, from assault and battery to obstructing the sidewalks, 75 men, women and children were dragged into police court this afternoon following the action of the police here in preventing the textile workers from sending their children where they would be properly cared for until the strike ends.

Today's action of the police has stirred the entire country and hundreds of messages are being received from every section. Not only the strikers but the better class of people are against the high handed attitude of Commissioner Sullivan. The strikers declare that the police have violated both the State and national laws The police refused to discuss their action.

CONGRESSIONAL PROBE TO BE MADE INTO STRIKE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.—A Congressional investigation into the latest Lawrence developments was made certain this afternoon when Chairman Wilson of the House Committee of Labor wired President Golden of the United Textile Workers of the official action of the police. On receipt of it he will order his committee to investigate fully what he termed an "unwarranted assumption on authority by the Lawrence police."

FRENCH MINISTRY EXPECTED TO RESIGN; MAY CALL BRIAND

Present Cabinet Accepted at Considerable Sacrifice and Would Retire.

United Press Telegram.

PARIS, Feb. 24.—It is believed that Prime Minister Poincare will resign shortly and that his ministry will be reconstituted possibly with ex-Premier Aristode Briand as President of the council, or cabinet.

When Poincare assumed the premiership he did so at personal loss to himself. Likewise several of the present cabinet officers accepted portfolios at similar sacrifices. Senator Bourgeois, now Minister of Labor, was and still is, in poor health. These men, realizing that with the Franco-German accord, debate on the Moroccan protectorate under consideration, and the dispute with Spain hanging fire, France had need of talent and patriots, so joined forces

Affairs are rapidly shaping themselves for the better, and it is whispered here that as soon as the chariot of State gets to the top of the hill, another driver will be left in charge and probably several of the old driver's helpers will retire to make way for others. The name of Georges Clemanceau, former Premier, is mentioned as Poincare's successor, though Briand probably has better chances.

PRESIDENT TAFT STARTS ANANIAS CLUB OF HIS OWN

Emphatically Denies He Said American People Are Not Fit to Govern Themselves.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb 24.—President Taft today revived the Ananias club of his predecessor, to deny an errand as a falsehood the assertions which he said were being assiduously circulated, that in his Lincoln Day speech at New York he declared that the people were not fit for self government.

A statement embodying the President's ideas on the matter were issued at the White House today. It said in part:

"Among the falsehoods being assiduously circulated by persons and papers as one that in his Lincoln Day speech, the President argued that the people were not fit for self government. Taft said nothing upon that occasion which could possibly be changed into any such construction."

FAYETTE B. & L. HAVING A BOOM

System of Loans is Different and Decidedly Attractive to Builders.

DEFINITE AS TO THE TIME

Stockholders are Scattered Over Fayette County and Not Confined to Connellsville — Leading Business Men Are on the Directorate.

The Fayette Building & Loan Association is experiencing a boom, according to statements of its officials. Since the association was organized last July the number of stockholders has steadily increased. The association offers exceptional inducements to those in moderate circumstances who desire to own their own homes. The system of loaning funds is somewhat different from that of most organizations of this nature. The installment mortgage contract is definite as to its time of repayment, liberal in its privileges and fair in its provisions against misfortune.

The association makes an appeal both to those who desire to own their own home and others who want to save. It offers a profitable and convenitne savings account. Those who want to borrow money on the installment mortgage plan where the interest is not only paid but the principal reduced as it goes along may eventually own their own homes by the monthly payment plan which costs but little, if any, more than rent for the same property.

The capital stock of the association is $1,000,000, divided into 10,000 shares of $100 each. Two classes of stock are issued, full paid and installment. The dues on installment stock are 50 cents a share a month.

The office of the secretary is at the First National Bank of Connellsville.

The Directors of the association are as folows: Robert Norris, real estate agent and Director of the First National Bank of Connellsville; F. E. Evans, heating engineer and President of the Connellsville Construction Company; A. M. Haines, Manager of the Connellsville Construction Company; J. Donald Porter, insurance and real estate; H. H. Myers, with the West Penn Railways Company; A. C. Stickel, lumber and coal, C. M. Hyatt, jeweler; J. L. Evans, Burgess of Connellsville; L. W. Guiford, mining engineer H. C. Frick Coke Company.

BURNS, CUTS, BRUISES

San Cura Ointment Stops Pain at Once Draws Out All Poisons, and Heals Promptly.

In all the world there is no ointment, no liniment, no remedy for burns, cuts and bruises that can compare with the antiseptic ointment called San Cura.

Every person ought to have a jar on hand. It is the first and best aid to the injured in case of accident, and is the ideal remedy for so many other distressing and painful ailments besides.

For example: It is guaranteed by Graham & Company of Connellsville, and S. A. Lowe & Company of Scottdale to cure itching, bleeding and protruding piles, eczema, tetter, ulcers, salt rheum, boils, carbuncles and pimples, or money back.

In case of old running sores, no matter how long standing, a few poultices of San Cura Ointment will draw out every particle of poison, and leave it in such a thoroughly antiseptic condition that the sore will heal, never to break open again.

We advise every reader to get a jar of San Cura Ointment today and keep it ready for an accident or emergency that may happen. 25 cents and 50 cents at Graham & Company of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Company of Scottdale.

SOAP FOR THE SCALP.

San Cura Soap is delightful for shampooing, because it is full of antiseptic properties that banish the germs of dandruff and other impurities from the scalp. It cures pimples and blackheads, too. 25 cents a cake at Graham & Company of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Company of Scottdale.

Mail Orders for San Cura Ointment and Soap filled by Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

LADIES' TAILORING.

H. J. Boslet Adds This Department to Tailoring Establishment.

H. J. Boslet, the well known tailor, in connection with his gents tailoring establishment has opened a similar establishment for ladies. Mr. Boslet has been in the tailoring business in Connellsville for a number of years and by his competent work has secured a large business in Connellsville and nearby towns. He has always had a demand for ladies' tailored suits and in order to carry on the business on a larger scale, a number of improvements have been made to his establishment on South Pittsburg street. New cases have been installed and two offices, neatly fitted up, were built in the rear tof the store. He has now on hand a full supply of samples of exclusive spring and summer novelties as well as the more staple materials.

Told Children Story.

"Iktoma and the Fawn," was the subject of the story told to the children yesterday afternoon by Miss Sara Seaton. The story hour was held in the story hour room at the Carnegie Free Library and 183 children were pieesnt. The series of Indian stories, which are being told by Miss Seaton, are greatly enjoyed by the children.

Notice.

Members of the Yough Tent No. 159, K. O. T. M., are requested to be preesnt at a special meeting to be held this evning in room 101 First National Bank building, at 5.30 P. M. S. P. Coughenour, Secretary.

Patfonize those who advertise.

SOCIETY.

Entertains Friends.

Miss Ruth Walters entertained a number of her friends Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Smith on Prospect street. Various games and music were the amusement of the evening and at a late hour luncheon was served. Among the out of town guests were Miss Falley Jolliffe, George Moore, Miss Blanche Snyder, James Walters, John McFarland and Ralph Boyd of Vanderbilt, and Robert and Lulu Ball of Leisonring.

The Pedro Club.

Dr. C. W. Utts will entertain the Yough Pedro Club Thursday evening, February 29 at his home on Main street, West Side.

L. L. Club.

The regular meeting of the L. L. Club which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon, February 27, at the home of Mrs. Anna M. Neff on First street, West Side, has been postponed until the following Thursday.

Birthday Party.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of her husband, Garfield Frankenbery, Mrs. Frankenberry was hostess at a very enjoyable social affair last evening at her home on Cottage avenue. About 25 guests were preaadn spent a very enjoyable evening at various amusements. Refreshments were served.

Hostess at Bridge.

Miss Irene Lytle is hostess at bridge and five hundred this afternoon at her home on East Fairview avenue.

Was Honor Guest.

Miss Marytena Sinclair, the guest of Miss Helen Irish of Pittsburg, Pa., was honor guest at a handsomely appointed bridge party given Tuesday by Miss Irish. The engagement of Miss Irish to John Condon, Jr., of New York City was announced by Miss Sinclair. Miss Sinclair and Miss Irish were roommates at Wilson College at Chambersburg, Pa. Mr. Condon is a Cornell graduate.

N. D. C. Class.

The N. D. C. Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church was enjoyably entertained last evening by Mrs. R. C. Wolf at her home on South Pittsburg street. The decorations and program were in keeping with Washington's birthday. The program was composed of a reading by Mrs. Iva Cook, piano and violin solo by Russell Engleke and Russell Wolf, recitation by John Wolf and a piano solo by Miss Lucille Wolf. The program was followed by refreshments. Mrs. Worf is teacher of the class.

Entertains His Class.

W. J. Woodall entertained the members of his Sunday school class of the First Baptist Sunday school last evening at his home on Murphy avenue. The class is composed of boys ranging in age from 12 to 14 years. A delightful feature of the evening was a study hour period, several very interesting stories being related by Rev. Nelson, who was among the invited guests. Earl Stillwagon, superintendent of the Sunday school, was also a guest.

Washingtons Birthday Program.

A Washington's Birthday entertainment was held yesterday by the pupils of rom No. 2 of the Jacobs Creek school. A program of interest was rendered in the presence of a large number of visitors. Among the Jacobs Creek visitors were Mrs. M. E. Oaks, Miss Jean Cooper and Miss Mary Silger Miss Ethel Johnson, a sister of Mrs. Oaks, is a teacher in the school.

Open Meeting Thursday.

An open meeting of the Woman's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will be held Thursday evening, February 29, at the home of Mrs. A. A. Wetherell on North Pittsburg street. Mrs. Russell, wife of Rev Russell of the Scottdale Baptist church, will deliver an address.

Coming Meyersdale Marriage.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Sarah Stein of Meyersdale and William Hatten of Lexington, Va., to be solemnized Tuesday, April 9. The couple will reside at Lexington, where Mr. Hatten is engaged in business.

Epworth League Will Meet.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church will be entertained Thursday evening, February 29 by Mrs. George McClay.

Surprise Party.

The Y. D. C. Class of the South Connellsville Evangelical Sunday school gave a surprise party for their teacher, Mrs. R. C. Miller last evening at the parsonage. Several piano solos were rendered by Miss Mabel Hetrick. Twenty-four guests were present.

Aid Society Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held Thursday afternoon, February 29 at the home of Mrs. R. C. Wolf on South Pittsburg street. A ten cent tea will follow the meeting.

Week-End House Party.

Col. and Mrs. J. M. Reid are entertaining at a week-end house party in honor of their daughter Miss Gertrude Reid.

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Saves Butter, Flour, Eggs, and makes home baking easy.

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Fifty Years Ago Today. Feb. 24.

Nashville, the base of supplies for the Confederate armies in northern Tennessee and Kentucky, was occupied by General Buell's federal forces. The fall of Fort Donelson had rendered the position untenable for the Confederates.

CAR BUYING EXPECTED

Not All the Railroads Which Planned to Fill Able to Grab Bargain.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 24.—"the Iron Trade Review" says that sound reasons are presented for the belief held by the leading steel makers that a revival of car buying is considerable proportions is near at hand. These steel authorities have contended all along that the active buying movement of last October and November was merely a forerunner of another and greater wave of purchases for replacements and additions.

Repeatedly it has been pointed out, "The Review" says, that imperative needs will bring this about. That such needs are pressing, it adds, was clearly shrown in the prompt entrance into the market by leading steam lines some weeks ago when unusually attractive material quotations were made by car buyers by the steel mills.

Continuing "The Iron Trade Review" says:

"Not all the railroads which planned to fill their equipment wants were able to take advantage of the bargain offers in prices. Some delayed too long in their preliminaries and when they were ready for closing they found the car plants so comfortably filled that prices for cars had been raised sharply."

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith of Broadway, Va., are visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Rader.

C. O. Bosley and wife of the Sackett and Bosley poultry farm, were borough shoppers on Friday.

Billie Abraham, a B. & O. fireman, is off duty with a sore throat.

E. S. Brooks is advertising his business on the glass front of his meat market opposite the I. O. O. F. hall. J. R. Abraham is the brush artist.

W. P. Conn of South Georges township, was a business visitor Friday.

J. H. Miller of Ruble, was in the borough on Friday.

Rev. Ryan is conducting special services at the Baptist church this week.

Jesse Conn of North Georges township, was a borough visitor Friday evening.

G. A. Feather is a week end business visitor at Pittsburg.

A. A. Moser of Ruble, war a business visitor on Friday.

Charles Dils of Nicholson township, No. 2, was transacting business in the Metropolis of the Georges on Friday.

J. Boyer, a B. & O. operator here, has been promoted to yardmaster at the Smithfield yards.

Rumor has it that Agent C. A. Cessna has bought a fine residence property here and that in the near future will take unto himself a helpmate.

A. O'Neil of Uniontown, was transacting business with our merchants on Friday.

Andy George of Connellsville, was circulating with his business friends here on Friday.

Notice.

The Daughters of Rebekah are endeavoring to win the $2,000 prize offered by the Pittsburg Dispatch. They request every lady in Connellsville and vicinity whether they belong to their organization or not to attend the Pure Food Exhibit to be given at J. R. Davidson's Grocery Monday afternoon and evening, Feb. 26. Each lady attending means 100 votes for their lodge. Tell your groceryman to attend also as by so doing they will receive 500 votes.

No Change in Condition.

There is no change in the condition of Mrs. Martha Smith, who has been seriously ill at her home near Dunbar for the past several weeks.

More Briquettes.

Pulverized street rubbish and coal tar have been found to make good fuel briquettes in Amsterdam.

MR. AND MRS. J. M. CECIL CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

Friends Pay Respects to Couple Who Married Quarter of Century Ago.

In honor of her twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, Mrs. J. M. Cecil entertained a large number of her friends at fancy work yesterday afternoon at her home in Pittsburg street, South Connellsville. The affair was marked by dainty appointments and several very delightful hours well spent at fancy work. The decorations were unusually pretty. A color scheme of red and white was effectively carried out in all the rooms on the first floor. Cupids, hearts, cut flowers and potted plants were profusely used. The aides were Misses Marian Davidson, Margaret Herpick, Edith Morton, Sarah Gallagher, Jean Norris and Mildred Hyatt. A well arranged luncheon was served at 5 o clock.

Last evening Mr and Mrs Cecil were joint hostesses at a musicale. The same decorations prevailed. The program rendered was as follows: Vocal solos, Arthur Digby of Pittsburg, Elizabeth Mae Brown and Mrs. A. L. Morton; reading, Mrs. W. H. Cottom. The program wa swell selected and was ably rendered. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Cecil were presented with a handsome music cabinet, a gift fro mseveral ow the guests. The presentation speech was made by J. L. Kurtz. Luncheon was served later in the evening. The aides were Miss Evelyn Cottom, Helen Clark, Edith Morton, Josephine Porter and Lucy Cecil. Among the out of town guests was Arthur Digby of Pittsburg, a brother of Mrs. Cecil.

Coal Lands Classified.

In its work of classifying and valuing the public coal lands the United States Geological Survey during January acted on nearly 3,000,000 acres of land which had been included in coal land withdrawals. Of this area 2,833,306 acres were classified as non-coal land and thus restored to public entry and 240 acres were appraised as coal land. Withdrawals of coal land were also made in Utah to the extent of 57,600 acres. There remains withdrawn, awaiting classification at the present time, 69,849,861 acres.

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Good heart ocupation
Is strength and salvation,
A secret that's known to but few.

SOME HOMELY DISHES.

The common things and the common people are those we have the most of, and so we need to be reminded that it is just as necessary that the common foods, because so important, making the bulk of our living, should be well prepared.

Rice, which is such a cheap food, and forms the chief article of food of a large portion of the population of the world, may be cooked and served in hundreds of ways.

Round Steak With Rice.—Cut one and a half pounds of steak into two or three-inch squares; put into a saucepan to steam without water. Slice an onion and fry in a little suet, add to the steak and season with salt and pepper. Cut up a tomato and add with water to the meat, enough to cover the meat. Let simmer for two hours, then add a half cup of rice and more water if needed, and cook until the rice is tender.

Mutton With Rice.—Wipe with a damp cloth a pound and a half of meat cut from the shoulder, into small pieces, adding a little fat. Cut up a third of a carrot and one onion in small pieces. Put over the fire with water to cover and cook at the simmering point for two hours. Add salt, pepper and finely-minced parsley Mix two tablespoonfuls of flour with two of cold water and add to the stew. Cook five minutes. Place the stew on a platter and arrange around it by spoonfuls, salted, boiled rice.

Servian Rice With Meat.—Cut up a pound of beef from the shoulder, cut in inch squares Fry a large onion in a little suet, then put in the meat, season with salt and paprika and cook slowly over a slow fire. Add a half pound of rice and boiling water. Cook until the rice is tender. Serve hot.

Nellie Maxwell.

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Many people regularly use the vapor treatment at night in conjunction with the inhaler, claiming that it hastens results.

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PERSONAL

Mrs Alva Piersol Greenwood returned home yesterday from a visit with relatives in Burgettstown.

Tonight at the Nickelet, Italian-Turkish War. Be sure and see it.

Mrs. Joseph Campbell of Pittsburg, returned home Thursday afternoon after a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ruth.

Miss Mayme Conway of Pittsburg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Conway of the West Side.

Mrs S R. Devore of Tunnelton, Pa., is visiting at the home of Mrs. O. J Sliger on Patterson avenue.

Miss Mabel Henderson left yesterday afternoon for Johnstown to remain over Sunday with relatives.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Cooper of Flatwods, were here yesterday attending the funeral of the late Mrs Sadie Lou Blair.

Miss Jean R Snyder left today for Atlanta, Ga., for a month's visit with Miss Alice Vandiver.

Miss Anna White is visiting in Pittsburg today

Miss Anna Mary Marshall and Miss Dorothy DuShane, the latter of St Paul, Minn., are the guests of friends in Morgantown today.

Henry and Alice Snyder, children of Mr. and Mrs. H P Snyder went to McKeesport this morning to visit their grandmother, Mrs. A. K McIntyre

Mrs J. E. Gogley and daughter returned home last evening after a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Fannie B. Vance of Cedar avenue.

Miss Mabel Rosboro of Dawson, was in town this morning on her way to Uniontown to visit friends

Mr. and Mrs John Zimmerman left this morning for Johnstown to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs William Lucas

Mrs. Mary Adams and Mrs. eBrtha Hillegrass of Pittsburg are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coughenour.

Attorney and Mrs. S R. Goldsmith and son are visiting in Pittsburg today

Misses Ruth Holland, Mary Hyatt and Irene Clark are visiting in Scottdale today.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holland are visiting friends in Pittsburg.

The Misses Carson of Layton are visiting in town today.

Mrs L. S. Michaels and Mrs. Mary E. Williams attended the Davis-Mills evangelistic meetings in Uniontown Thursday evening.

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Bolster Case, 30c, at 35c

Size 42x36, hemstitched, 25c values, at 19c

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Nameless Pillow Cases, 42x36, excellent values at 15c, 2 for 25c

Special 12½c Pillow Cases 10c

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36 Inch New Spring Percales at ...10c and 12½c

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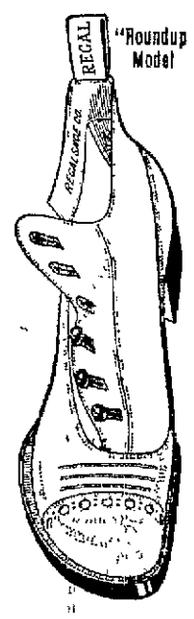

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The News of Nearby Towns.

Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, Feb. 23.—Miss Mary Vikovic gave a party to a number of her young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Vikovic on Main street Tuesday evening. The hours were from 7.30 till 11. The evening was very pleasantly spent in various ways. A delicious luncheon was served at 10 o'clock by the young hostess. Those present were: Misses Maude Harshman, Maude Mickey, Katie Maust, Esther Cosgrove, Freeda Lutz, Martha Harshman, Messrs. Quay Herwick, Fred Baker, Henry Morgan, Charles Harper, Dwight Kooser, William Beatty and Harry Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanham have returned to their home at Perryopolis after a very pleasnt visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hanam.

Ollie Shallenberger has his new house almost completed. He purchased quite a nice little piece of ground from C. M. Strickler last fall just east of town which was a part of the A. J. Hill farm and lately purchased by C. M. Strickler.

Mrs. William Hanam and daughters, Miss Ruth and Gladys, have returned to their home at Whitsett after a few days' visit with Mrs. David Hanam.

Miss Edith Morrell of Fairchance, is spending a few days here visiting relatives and friends.

The James Cochran & Sons Company has just completed filling its large ice house with ice which was manufactured by nature on the Nellie reservoir and harvested by a number of the employes of the company.

David Hagar of Perryopolis was the guest of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hanam recently.

James Beatty was a business caller at East Liberty yesterday.

Special meetings will begin in the Presbyterian Church at Vanderbilt Sunday evening, February 25. The pastor, Rev. W. E. Marshall, will be assisted by Rev. H. H. Ryland during the whole of the meetings. At the opening of the meeting Sunday night there will be a half hour song service. All the hymns will be thrown on the screen where all can plainly see both words and music. Then there will be several illustrated hymns sung as solos. Rev. Ryland's text Sunday night will be from Ex. 4:4, "Put Forth Thine Hand, and take it by the Tail."

For Monday evening a monster meeting of the boys and girls of the town is being planned. This will be held one hour before the regular evening service. The stereopticon will be used and from forty to seventy of the pictures on the life of Christ will be shown on the screen. To this meeting all of the boys and girls of town are invited to come.

VANDERBILT, Feb. 24.—Miss Georgia E. Newmyer gave a party to her little school mates at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Newmyer on Thursday evening, on East Main street. The hours were from 7 until 10 o'clock and was greatly enjoyed by all, as the evening was spent in playing games of which only the young folks know and enjoy so well. At 9 o'clock all repaired to the dining room, where an oyster supper was greatly enjoyed by all. Those present were Misses Etta and Helen McLaughlin, Altha and Sarah Boyer, Gwendolin and Virginia Edwards, Trissa Beatty, Helen Keffer, Anna Myrtle and Charles Cullen. At 10 o'clock, when all were tired out by the enjoyment of the evening and their hunger had been appeased, they bid good night to Miss Georgia and departed for their homes.

L. L. Dayton was a business caller at Dickerson Run on Friday afternoon.

Jacob Luckey of Dawson, was transacting business here yesterday.

The entertainment given by the Young Men's Bible Class at the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening was a decided success and was greatly enjoyed by all present. The church was taxed to its utmost capacity, and a tidy sum was realized.

George Cochran of Dawson, was a business caller here last evening.

Mrs. John Beatty has returned home, after a very pleasant visit with Mrs. Jane Hardy at Scottdale.

Mrs. Robert Skiles has returned to her home at Dunbar, after a few days' visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Geo.

S. L. Porter was transacting business at Dawson yesterday evening.

Classified ads one cent a word.

Owensdale.

OWENSDALE, Feb. 24.—A wrestling contest as a climax to the winter's athletic tournament of the Morgan valley between the Owensdale Athletic Club and the Morgan Athletic Club will probably be arranged next week. American rules will govern and all rough holds such as the toe hold, the strangle hold, leg and arm locks and all twists will be eliminated. The matches will prove very interesting as both clubs have a bevy of some clever muscle men. To date both clubs are about evenly matched.

J. S. Randalls of Connellsville, was attending to matters of business here yesterday.

W. L. Meyers of Pittsburg, was transacting business in Owensdale on Thursday.

The icy roads Thursday made walking miserable. It was next to impossible for a team to ascend a hill. King's hill was a glare of ice as was also the Tyrone hill. The handling of trains on the transfer was somewhat pampered owing to ice accumulating on the car brakes, tracks and on the switches.

During the high wind Wednesday evening the large smokestack of the boiler house of Meadow Mills was twisted and bent but it did not fall, being well suported by guy wires. At several places roundabout trees were uprooted and general havoc reigned for a while.

Heats the Tubing.

The use of electricity has been very successfully introduced into the manufacture of brass bedsteads for the purpose of heating the metal tubing while the lacquer is being applied.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 23.—The Epworth League reception in the M. E. church Thursday evning was a general success. About 100 guests were precesnt. The literary program from 7.30 to 9.30 was very interesting. It was as follows: Male quartette, composed of Rev. C. W. Hoover, H. R. Watson, C. W. Hall, T. W. Black; recitation, Miss Ethel Stark; Mixed quartette composed of Misses Esther Black, Grace Stark, C. W. Hall, and T. W. Black; piano solo, Miss Marie Younkin; male quartette selection; address, "Interest of the Epworth League" by Miss Jean Stephenson of Braddock; piano solo, Miss Marie Younkin. After the program a very enjoyable hour was spent in games. The "Handshaking" and "Consequence" game were very amusing. Refreshments were then served after which the guests departed for their departed for their homes, reporting to have spent a delightful evening.

William Rush of Draketown, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Patron's Day was well observed in the public schools Friday afternoon. Quite a large number of parents attended the entertainments in the various rooms.

Albert Black has been confined to his home in West Confluence the past week on account of a bad cold and neuralgia.

Miss Edythe Shipley of Sand Patch, visited her brother, Joseph Shipley and family several days recently.

Mrs. Jonas Meyers and son, Charles of Paddytown, were guests of Mrs. Alice Lingenfelter yesterday.

Jacob Keim of Addison was a business calelr in town yesterday.

Frank Davis made a business trip up the C. & O. branch yesterday.

Mrs. N. S. Burkett was the guest of friends in Somerset and Rockwood from Wednesday until Friday.

Dr. Farmer who has been confined to his home for several weeks on account of illness, is able to be out on the street again.

Mr. and Mrs. Fetso of Connellsville, were the guests of friends in town several days recently.

W. E. Sellers of Connellsville, visited his brother Lee Sellers and family several days this week.

Miss Jean Stephenson of Braddock, was the guest of Mrs. E. G. Black on Thursday and Friday.

Miss Susie Jacobs of Somerfield was visiting in town yesterday.

Miss Alverda Burnworth of Johnson's Chapel, was in town shopping yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Beckett of Dumas, were visitors in town Friday.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Mary Jane Miller, one of the oldest and best known citizens of this place, died on Friday morning at 1 o'clock after an illness of five weeks suffering from heart trouble. Mrs. Miller was a woman well known to everybody in this community. She was the widow of the late Jacob Miller and has been a widow for the past 25 years. Mrs. Miller was the last of the old Smiley family, her brother Bruce having died about four months ago. Mrs. Miller is survived by her four sons, William at Republic, Jacob, Frank and Andrew of this place.

The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Protestant church. Services will be conducted by Rev. D. C. Minerd assisted by Rev. T. M. Gladden. Interment in Mount Aubn Cemetery.

Arcade Theatre, Dunbar; Kiferle's four piece orchestra. Three reels good pictures; ten cents.

Following are the church announcements for tomorrow:

First Methodist Protestant church, T. M. Gladden, pastor. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Preaching and communion at 11.00 A. M. Revival services in the evening at 7.30 P. M. Revival services tonight also. Rev. F. C. Viele of Uniontown will preach.

Baptist church, Rev. W. C. Leinbach, pastor. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Morning services at 11.00 o'clock. Subject, "Christian Heroes or Laying the Price." Evening services at 7.30 P. M. Subject, "Joshua's Challenge."

Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. L. W. LePage, pastor. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 A. M. Evening service at 7.30.

The Presbyterian church. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 23.—The storm which raged for the past two days and nights did some damage in this vicinity. A window was blown in and broken in Dr. J. R. Martin's dental office and one of the large windows in the school building was broken, causing the plants, which added to the beauty of the room, to be frozen.

W. E. Riffle was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

John Anderson moved his household goods yesterday into the house vacated by Mrs. Mary McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blair and E. O. Blair and wife, are attending the funeral of Mrs. Bert Blair in Connellsville today.

Extra copies of The Courier can be had at the Perry Newstand. Read "The Prodigal Judge."

H. H. Slocum, Bent Luco and Miss Ruth Luco were Pittsburg visitors yesterday.

David A. Byers, Leo Dannecker and Mrs. H. H. Slocum are confined to their homes with bad colds.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 24.—John Riffle of Uniontown was through this vicinity Thursday repairing damages to the Tri-State phone lines and took supper with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Riffle.

Esther Leighty of Vanderbilt is visiting at her grand father's, Thompson Duff, and calling on other friends in town.

Mrs. Howard Lynch is confined to her room suffering from a severe cold.

Charles Williams is adding to the comfort of his home by putting in a furnace for heating purposes.

Taffeta Dress for Afternoon.

A beautiful shaded taffeta of green and gold was used for this dress and fringed and corded frills of the same were used as a trimming

The surplice effect ends in the back in a long tab, which extends halfway to the floor and is belted in at the waistline The flower ornaments are made of the silk combined with black satin. A yoke of lace is used.

Star Junction.

STAR JUNCTION, Feb. 23.—The Rev. M. B. Houck, who is hold ing revival services in the M. E. church, is visiting at his home at Finleyville.

J. H. Price of Dawson was a business caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. S C. Graham entertained the "Houdn Robin" at the home of Mrs O. S. Blair. A very dainty lunch was served. Small paper hatchets were given as souvenirs.

W. W. Phillips of Pittsburg, was transacting business in town yesterday.

Revival services are still in progress at the M. E. church.

W. J. Lloyd of Pittsburg was a business caller in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Sayers is calling on friends in Connellsville.

George H. Austin of Johnstown, representative of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company, arrived in town yesterday.

M. E. Strawn of Dawson, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Bible class will be held in the M. E. church every afternoon at 2 o'clock.

STAR JUNCTION, Feb. 24—Arthur Evans was calling in Perryopolis last night.

Mrs. H. Morris has returned after spending a few days with friends in Uniontown.

The Rev. M. B. Houck has returned to Star Junction after spending a few days at his home at Finleyville.

Homer Carson, who has been in the regular army for four years, returned home Thursday night.

The program in the M E. Church for Sunday is as follows: Sunday school at 10 A. M. Morning services at 11 o'clock and evening services at 8 o'clock. In the Baptist Church Sunday school at 2 P. M. and church services at 3 P. M.

Miss Ada Santymyer of Connellsville is visiting at the home of Mrs. Matt Townsend of near Flatwoods.

Orbin Carson and Randolph Eehard were in Perryopolis last night attending the firemen's entertainment.

Miss McKee is in Connellsville where she has been called by the death of a near relative, Mrs. Sadie Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Piersol were visiting in Connellsville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Risbeck were calling in Perryopolis last night.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, Feb 23.—A. J. Sembower of Markleton will in the near future erect a modern store building on his Rockwood property on Central Main street, opposite the eRitz ptoperty.

Charles E. Younkin has purchased the drayage business of J. A. Critchfield and will enter into partnership with W. J. McVicker in the same business. Mr. Younkin was formerly employed at the Snyder bakery. Ross E. Kimmell has accepted the position recently occupied by Younkin

Clyde Van Sickle has accepted the position of manager of the Miller bowling alley on Market street.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a chicken and waffle supper in the Miller restaurant property on Main street Saturday evening.

C. A. Miller, asistant cashier of the First National Bank of Rockwood, has resigned his position to take effect March 4th, after which time he will engage in the real estate and insurance business. Harry Tom of Indiana, Pa., will be Mr. Miller's successor beginning April 1st.

Church announcemnts for tomorrow are:

Reformed, preaching services at 7.30 P. M. Lutheran services at 10.30 M. M. and 7.30 P. M. Methodist Episcopal at 10.45 P. M. All other services as usual at the different churches.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 24.—Miss Margaret Weber, who spent a week visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hurley of Connellsville, returned home on train No. 11 last evening.

Mrs. Herman Deist, an aged and respected resident of Ollage street, died yesterday afternoon, aged about 75 years. She is survived by several children, among whom are Mrs. Wm. P. Hady and Charles Deist, both of this place. Deceased's aged husband also survives. The funeral will be held Sunday and will be conducted by the pastor of the deceased, Rev. A. E. Truxal, D. D., of Amity Reformed church.

Karl Clapper, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Clapper of "Shady Lawn," is seriously ill of pneumonia.

The following services will be held in the local churches tomorrow:

Church of the Brethren—Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M., by S. P. Maust. Christian Workers, led by Mrs. C. A. Just, at 6.00 P. M., subject, "Our Share in This Salvation." Preaching at 7.30 P. M., by D. K. Clapper.

Zion Evangelical Lutheran, Rev John A. Yount, pastor.—Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning service at 10.45 A. M. Mission Band at 2.00 P. M. Luther League at 6.45 P. M., Rose Daugherty, leader. Young Men's Confirmation Class at 3.00 P. M. Evening worship at 7.30 o'clock.

SS. Philip and James Catholic, Rev. J. J. Brady, pastor.—Children's mass at 8.00 A. M., followed by Sunday school. High mass at 10.30 A. M. Vespers, rosary and benediction at 7.30 P. M.

Amity Reformed, Rev. A. E. Truxal, D. D., pastor.—Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Young Peoples Guild at 6.45 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal, Rev. Geo. A. Neeld pastor.—Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Preaching at 11.00 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6.15 P. M.

Evangelical Lutheran, Rev. A. W. Bendar, pastor.—Sunday school at 2.30 P. M. Young Peoples' Alliance at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M.

Main Street Brethren, Rev. H. L. Coughnour, pastor.—Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M., and 7.30 P. M.

Brown's Chapel, A. M. E. Zion, Rev. T. J. Wynn, pastor.—Second quarterly conference in the morning and the celebration of the Lord's Supper in the evening. In these services the pastor will be assisted by the presiding elder, Rev. E. J. Bradley of Coraopolis, Pa. Sunday school at 3.00 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M.

Leisenring.

LEISENRING, Feb. 24—Harry Pugh left yesterday for his new home at Listie in Somerset county.

E. A. Arison spent the week in Pittsburg buying goods for the Leisenring store.

Miss Carrie Kerns has been absent from her home several days visiting in Connellsville.

A special solo will be rendered Sunday morning at the Leisenring Church by one of the girls from the Sunday School. All should hear this little girl sing. We will not give her name. Come and find out who she is.

Mrs. Michael Bell was taken to the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, for treatment.

The attendance at Sunday school last Sunday was 51. It is hoped that all will stand by the new superintendent and support him as well as they stood by and supported Mr McNorien last year. It is claimed that Leisenring had the best Sunday school in 1911 that it has had for years.

Andy Kerns has left Leisenring and taken up his abode at the corner of Eighth street and Leisenring avenue, West Side, Connellsville

Mrs Andy McClintock, who has been ill for over a year, is slowly improving She hopes to be out and around as soon as the fine spring weather comes.

Mrs. Jessie Cramer of Briar Hill is visiting friends in Leisenring and Vanderbilt this week.

George Kenny will be buried from St. Vincent de Paul's Church Sunday morning.

Sunday morning, the 25th, at 11 o'clock, at the church in Leisenring, Rev. Ryland will preach a 20 minute sermon along the line of the Sunday school lesson. The same plan will be carried out at West Leisenring at 3 P. M. This suggestion was made by Elder Roderick and believing it to be a good one it will be carried out for several months.

Great interest has been created in the Sunday school at West Leisenring by a contest between the class of ladis, taugth by Mr. Lloyd, and class of young men in charge of Miss McNally Each class now has an enrollment of almost thirty members A similar contest has been proposed for the young men's and young aldies' classes at Leisenring The matter will be discussed tomortow.

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Women's Exhibition in Berlin.

BERLIN, Feb 24.—Under the title of "Women in Home and Business," there was opened in Berlin today the first large exhibition of women's work ever held in Germany.

Hunting Bargains?

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Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Samuel Rogers was calling on Vanderbilt friends yesterday.

Clayton Myers was a business caller at Connellsville Thursday.

Archie Smith, who was injured two months ago while working in the P. & L. E. shops, is still confined to his home and is still in a bad condition.

George McBurney was a Vanderbilt business caller last evening

Freeman Cooper was transacting business at Dawson yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harper have returned to their home at South Fork Pa., after a few days' visit here with friends

Louis Vikovic of Vanderbilt, was calling on friends here last evening.

Joseph Strickler was a Vanderbilt business caller yesterday evening.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 26.—William Ramsey was calling on friends at Vanderbilt yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane Hardy of Scottdale was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty on Friday.

Howard McBurney was a Vanderbilt business caller Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carroll have returned to their home at Kecksburg after a few days' visit here with friends.

F. G. Smith was a business caller at Vanderbilt last evening.

Mr and Mrs. Blake of Beaver Falls are spending a few days here visiting their daughter, Mrs Archie Young.

THE LIABILITY LAW COMMISSION AT WORK

New Body Has First Meeting in Harrisburg and Is Addressed by Gov. Tener.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb 24.—The State Commission to Draft an Employers' Liability Law, named by Gov. John K. Tener in accordance with the act of the last Legislature, held its first meeting yesterday, the members being greeted by the governor at his office in the Capitol. The governor spoke briefly of the purposes of the commission, urging the members to consider the compensation acts of other states and nations and to frame a bill that would meet all conditions in this state.

The governor said he desired the commissioners to begin work at once and send to him a report of their work and a draft of the bill by November 1, so that he could make a recommendation to the next General Assembly. The State, said the governor, looked to the commission to expedite its work and meet the demand for such a law.

Chairman David Reed of Pittsburg, in response, said that the commissioners were ready to do their part.

The commission is composed of lawyers who are experts in such laws, and employers and employes. It is expected that the bill will be ready some time in advance of the Legislative session The commissioners are David Reed, Pittsburg, chairman; J. Barry Calihan, Philadelphia, lawyers; Morris Williams, Philadelphia, and George C. Hetzel, employers; Francis Feehan, Pittsburg, and John J. Cushing, Monessen, employes, and Francis D. Bohlen of the University of Pennsylvania the expert investigator for the commission, who is also the secretary.

After meeting the Governor the commission held a short session, and Chairman Reed announced that it was the intention to begin preliminary work at once and to hold hearings, the first to be about March 20. The commission will hold these hearings in various cities and will visit representative industrial establishments.

WOMAN'S WILL ATTACKED.

Nephew Starts Suit to Have Aunt's Disposition of Estate Set Aside.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Feb 23.—Suit was filed here yesterday by William Woodburn of Blaine township, who is contesting the will of his aunt, Anna Eliza Woodburn, who died on September 30, 1911. She left an estate valued at $50,000 and the nephew alleges she was of unsound mind when she made her will

After bequests of $1,000 each to three nephews and $500 for a monument on her grave, the woman left the balance of her estate to the Board of Foreign Misions of the Presbyterian church here.

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SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 24, 1912.

Visionary and Impossible.
Uniontown News Standard.

There would be no end of elections in the country if Colonel Roosevelt's suggestion should be adopted as to the recall, giving the people the power to recall by vote the decisions of the judges on the bench instead of the judges themselves. And it looks as if the law would be uncertain under the recall of decisions of courts unless all the voters were learned in the law. To be sure, there are voters (generally Democrats), unable to read a law who think they know all about it and are able to interpret it correctly, or that they are able to make a better law, but a good many people would not want to be subject to the law as they would make or interpret it.

The Colonel's suggestion is not an improvement upon the recall of judges themselves, and both propositions are full of possibilities of danger and harm to our judicial system. We have too many elections now, so many that the intelligent voters of the country can not spare time from their business to give the attention to them that their importance demands.

Our people have been given an opportunity to vote upon law at times, when propositions were before them to amend the constitution of the State, the fundamental law, and a very small proportion of them have voted,—about one-fifth or one-fourth. The reason electors have not voted for or against these laws generally has been, that they didn't know enough about the constitution and the proposed changes to know whether the changes shouldbe adopted or not. That would be the result if they were permitted to vote to recal the decisions of the courts, and with such a small part of the electorate voting, a few political bosses could make all the laws. Colonel Roosevelt means well, but his recall of court decisions by vote of the people is visionary and impossible.

The Liability Bill.
Harrisburg Teregraph.

If Congress passes, as there is every reasons to believe it will pass, the Employers' Liability and Workmen's Compensation bill, drafted by the commission authorized at the request of the President for that purpose, it will have rowned with success another great ork of William Howard Taft.

The desire of the President is not to upose new burdens upon the corporaons engaged in inter-State commerce, ut to facilitate the adjustment of laims made upon them by employes njured in their service; to give to those who need it the money now wasted in itigation, and, incidentally, to relieve the clogged condition of the courts by reducing their burdens, as he estimates, one-half.

At present the railroads are said to pay annually, in settlement out of court or after judgment, $10,000,000, exclusive of the immense sums they expend in defending damage suits. The cost of this litigation would probably amount to 50 per cent. of the damages, and the commission asserts that the liability bill would not increase the damages awarded more than $5,000,000. If the cost of litigation were removed the railroad companies ought to break about even, and, in the event that the estimates have not been entirely correct, the Inter-State Commerce Commission is instructed to take any new responsibilities that may be added under the act into consideration "as an element in the cost of transportation."

Stamp It Out.
Philadelphia Press.

The campaign against the chestnut tree blight will proceed with renewed vigor as a result of the late convention at Harrisburg. The suggestion that we should wait and investigate while trees are dying did not prevail. As well might we investigate a destroying conflagration instead of taking vigorous measures to extinguish it. The blight is spreading its destruction in every direction. A single infected tree dooms all others in the neighborhood. Destroy the diseased trees and establish a quarantine against them. Perhaps hereafter we will learn more about the cause and origin of the blight, but the present duty is ruthlessly to stamp it out.

Many conventions of States have been held for a great variety of purposes. States exposed to the ravages of cholera or other infectious deadly disease have counseled together and made common cause against the common enemy. This is probably the first combination of State authority and influence against a contagious tree-disease. If it results in inspiring the other States represented at this convention to emulate Pennsylvania's zeal and energy in combating this insidious pest which is threatening the very existence of the most useful, beautiful and valuable of American trees, it will save for future generations the larger portion of the American chestnut trees now threatened with extermination.

Trifles are the undoing of the fussy individual.

A defective memory has tripped many an active liar.

Looking Backward.

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

FRIDAY, FEB. 24, 1882.

The work of demolishing the old Methodist Episcopal church has begun.

James Rhodes has been appointed policeman in place of William Shrum. James looks well behind the silver star.

Joe Hart, who has so long presided over the Baltimore House eating saloon, has resigned. He will start in business for himself at Atlantic City.

Thirty-two cases of small pox are reported at East Liberty. The town has been quarantined.

Connellsville elected an entire Democratic ticket. J. E. Stillwagon was elected Burgess.

Steps have been taken by the Library Association to infuse new life into the library.

FRIDAY, FEB. 19, 1892.

When Daisy Kaine, a 15 year old Scottdale girl, refused to give a tramp food, he seized and gagged her and then cut off her hair.

A number of disappointed fight fans returned to Connellsville after going to a speakeasy on the Leisenring road to see a prize fight. The fight failed to materialize.

An organization of the Alumni Association of the Connellsville Public schools has been effected. The following officers were elected: President, George M. Hosack; Secretary, Miss May H. Johnson; Treasurer, Miss Bird Barge. E. T. Norton was elected Chairman of the Executive Committee.

The Democrats won out in the town and in the township elections. The Republicans carried Uniontown. The Democratic majorities range from 270 on the Burgess to 109 on Street Commissioner. Samuel Long was elected Burgess. Two Republicans and two Democrats were elected to Council. J. C. Sloan, Republican, was elected Burgess of New Haven.

The Cooleys were literally "holed" in a coal mine in Georges township but when they made a dash for freedom, three escaped. Sheriff McCormick was indignant over their escape from the armed guards and intimated that either the guards wanted the Cooleys to escape or else they were cowards.

FRIDAY, FEB. 21, 1902.

John Duggan has been awarded the contract for grading down the hump of the Fourth ward school building property.

Because James J Jeffries did not appear as advertised with a burlesque company, Manager Fred Robbins of the Connellsville Opera House refused to let the company in the theatre and he refunded all money to the ticket buyers.

The Youghiogheny river is frozen over from McKeesport to the head waters.

L. F. Ruth and Frank Burt have entered into an agreement for the erection of a costly theatre at Pittsburg and Green streets.

William Davidson was elected president of the Acolian Literary Society of the High School.

Neither party gained a decisive victory in the election. The Democrats gained one man in Council.

Republicans won out in the New Haven elections. The Democrats won out in Connellsville township.

WASHINGTON.
By Isaac of Yukon.

Washington was not a grafter. Two wealthy companies were once formed to extend navigation on the James and Potomac rivers and to have the influence of Washington as a member they pressed him to accept one hundred and fifty shares of stock equal to $10,000.

Washington flatly refused the offer and said: "What will the world think if they should hear that I have taken $10,000 for this affair? Will they not be apt to suspect, on my next proposition, that money is my motive. Thus, for the sake of money, which indeed I never coveted from my country, I may lose the power to do her some service, which may be worth more than all money."

As Washington passed through Trenton on his way to New York to receive the oath of office as first President, the women said:

Welcome, mighty chief, once more,
Welcome to this grateful shore.
Now no mercenary foe
Aims again the fatal blow,
Aims at thee the fatal blow.

Virgins fair, and matrons grave,
These thy conquering arms did save,
Build for thee triumphal bowers,
Strew, ye fair, his way with flowers,
Strew your hero's way with flowers."

These were the great perils the first President had to face:

Pirates of Morocco laying hands on our commerce.

England threatening war.

Spain shutting up the Mississippi.

Kentucky threatening to break the Union and join the Spaniards.

Indian nations in warfare.

North Carolina and Rhode Island blowing up the new confederacy.

To face all this trouble, Washington had only 600 regular soldiers to keep order. In 1794, General Wayne had an army of about 2,000 soldiers.

The following is the make-up of the first cabinet:

Mr. Jefferson, Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

Colonel Hamilton, Secretary of the Treasury.

General Knox, Secretary of War.

Edmund Randolph, Attorney General.

John Jay, Chief Justice.

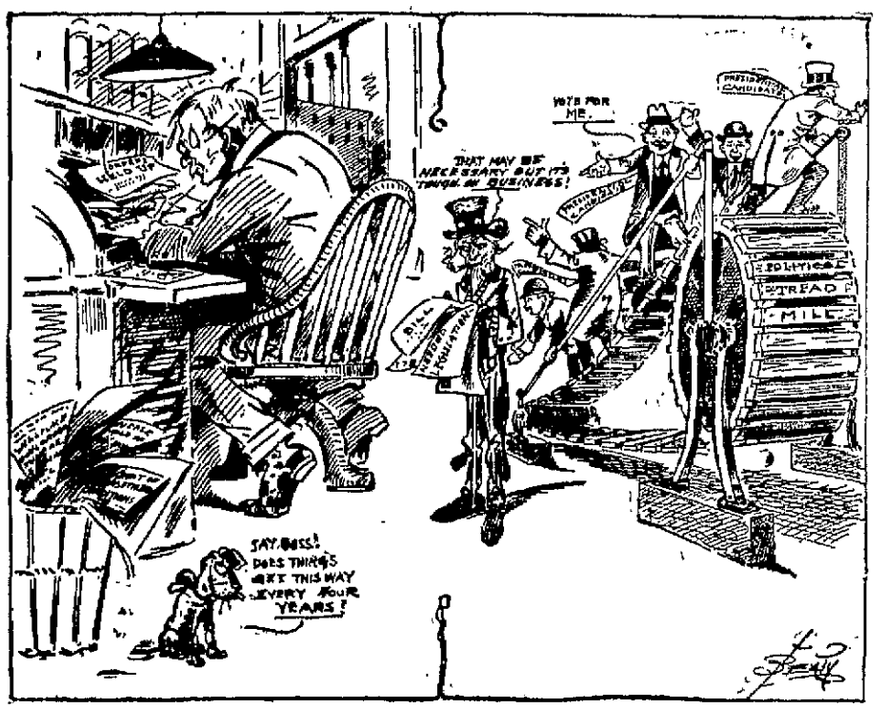
John Rutlidge, James Wilson, John Cushing, Robert Harrison, John Blair, Associate Judges.

Washington was almost in the act of buckling on his sword to lead an army against the directory of France when they wanted tribute money, but General Pinckney stepped out and settled the entire trouble by saying:

"Tribute, sir? Tell the directory that we will give millions for defense but not one cent for tribute."

Washington's last words to the people of the United States were somewhat of a constitution.

Business Versus Politics



NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—A number of Republican conventions are scheduled for the week to select delegates to the national convention at Chicago. The North Carolina State convention will meet in Raleigh on Wednesday and the South Carolina convention in Columbia the day following. District conventions to be following.

President Taft has no public engagements announced for the week, excepting those of a purely special character. Colonel Roosevelt will go to Boston to attend a meeting of the Harvard Board of Overseers and during the several days that he will spend there it is expected he will confer with many influential New England Republicans. Governor Harmon has engagements to speak during the week before the legislatures of Virginia and Maryland.

Pursuant to the call of Governor Osborn the Michigan legislature will assemble in special session Monday to pass a bill providing for a presidential primary.

One of the largest conventions of the week will be the annual meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Society, which is expected to attrhct a thousand or more prominent educators to St. Louis.

The trial of Bert H. Franklin, the McNamara detective, who is charged with having bribed members of the McNamara jury, is scheduled to begin in Los Angeles Tuesday. This is the case in which an indictment charging a similar offense has been returned against Clarence Darrow, the attorney for the McNamaras.

A joint wage conference to discuss a new contract for the anthracite field will begin in New York Tuesday. The miners demand an eight-hour day, recognition of the United Mine Workers, a minimum wage rate of $3.50 a day for miners on consideration work and $2.50 a day for laborers, and a more convenient and uniform system of adjusting local grievances. The operators, it is stated, are inclined to resist the demands of the miners as unreasonable and exorbitant. The present agreement will expire at the end of March and unless an agreemnt is reached before that time a general strike is threatened.

Important events of the week abroad will include the great anti-suffrage demonstration to be held in London, with Lord Cromer presiding, and developments in the industrial situation in England. Unless the demands of the British Miners' Federation are granted a national strike of coal miners is threatened for February 29.

Of interest to followers of sport and athletics in America will be the hegira of the big league baseball players for the spring training camps in the South, the opening of the annual tournament of the American Bowling Congress in Chicago, and the opening of the annual Sportsmen's Show in Madison Square Garden, New York.

CHALONER DELIGHTED THAT COURT SAYS HE IS "LOONEY"

Author of the "Who's Looney Now" Message Baps New York Jurist.

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—John Armstrong Chaloner, author of that classic cablegram of inquiry: "Who's Looney Now?" sent to his brother, Sheriff Bob, when it appeared that Lina Cavarlori had secured possession of most of Bob's fortune, has added another to his list. Informed by telegraph that Federal Judge Holt had instructed the jury in his suit to recover possession of his fortune to return a verdict against him, Chaloner sent the following from his home in Cobham, Virginia:

"Delighted; appeal is necessary. The greater the delay the greater the cost but the greater the outrage, the greater the object lesson to the public concerning the need of reforming lunacy laws."

Judge Holt said that Chaloner's only relief was to appear before the Supreme Court here and demonstrate that he is not insane.

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WANTED—WOMEN, BELL GUARANteed hose;70 per cent profit; make $10 daily; full or part time; beginners investigate. STRONG KNIT, Box. 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. 13jantfsat

WANTED—500 MEN 20 TO 40 YEARS old wanted at once for Electric Railway Motormen and Conductors; $60 to $100 a month, no experience necessary; fine opportunity; no strike; write immediately for application blank. Address TROLLEY, care of Courier. 3feb30td

WANTED—MEN, AGE 18 TO 35 TO prepare for firemen or brakemen on nearby railroads, $80 to $100 monthly. Experience unnecessary; no strike. Promotion—engineer or conductor, $150 to $200 monthly. Good life careers. State age; send stamp. RAILWAY ASSOCIATION, Box 28, Courier. feb3-10-17-24*

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY MEN or women wanted as local representatives of responsible manufacturer. High Class merchandise and clean selling methods. $12.00 per week guaranteed on easy conditions, with possibility of $30.00 and advance. Experience not necessary. MANUFACTURER, Box 278, Philadelphia. feb24-24mar6-9-20-23

WANTED—THOSE WHO ARE DISsatisfied with their heating, to write A. L. Richey, care Fayette County Gas Office, Connellsville, Pa. He has a heating system which strains the water, reduces the city water pressure, heats the house and water for domestic purposes together, or independently of each other, maintains an even temperature of rooms or water as desired. No smoke; will consume less gas than others. 21febdtd*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOME HOTEL. INquire 106 MAIN STREET, second floor. 20jantf

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, 309 S. Pittsburg street. Apply LUTEMAN'S STORE. 22febtfd

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM HOUSE with water and gas. Inquire J. C. LYTLE, 232 E. Fairview avenue. 23feb2td

For Sale.

FOR SALE—NEW PIANO AND NEW furniture cheap. Inquire MRS. SILVERMAN, 101 Snyder street. 20feb5td

FOR SALE—OAK AND WALNUT bed room suites. Typewriter, refrigeration, large collection of books, etc. Apply 415 JOHNSTON AVENUE. 23febdtd*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—MODERN SIX ROOM house on East Morton avenue. J. R. WORTMAN, 601 S. Pittsburg street. 19febdtd

FOR SALE—A DRIVING HORSE, 7 years old. Or will trade. See THOMAS SCHRUM, 213 Eleventh street, West Side. 24feb3tsod

FOR SALE—FARMS, FRUIT FARMS. Timber land. Best locations. Low prices. B SHIPPY, Box 862, Connellsville, Pa 22feb30td*

FOR SALE—ONE FRAME WAREhouse. Must be removed before April 1st. Inquire CONNELLSVILLE PLANING MILL COMPANY. 23febtfd

FOR SALE—AT THE YOUGHIogheny lumber yard, tar roofing, paper and rubber roofing paper and roof paints. All grades. Call and see our stock. 23feb2td

FOR SALE—SMALL BRICK HOUSE and lot on First street in South Connellsville; four rooms, finished cellar; natural gas, city water and electric light. One block from the street car line. South end of brick row. Price $1,000 cash. H P. SNYDER, The Courier Building, Connellsville, Pa.

Found.

FOUND—THAT EVERY GARMENT is warranted to fit and hold its shape. DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 3

FOUND—4 KEYS WITH A STRING attached to same. Owner can have same by calling at Courier and paying for this notice. 21febdtd

Personal.

MADAM MAY IS HERE. WELL known Psychic. Consult her; become successful. Special price 50 cents today and tomorrow. Call early. SMITH HOUSE. 23feb2td*

Money to Loan.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE. INSURance. EVANS & SISLEY. 24febtf

Executrix' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT letters testamentary on the estate of William Bradley, deceased, late of the City of Connellsville, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will make them known without delay. MARY E. BRADLEY, Executrix, No. 1150 South Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Pa. 27jan6tsat

Executors Notice.

S. R GOLDSMITH, Attorney.
ESTATE OF THARESSSA HARBAUGH, deceased. Letters of Administration on the Estate of Theressa Harbaugh, late of Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated for settlement. GEORGE HARBAUGH, SADIE B. BLACK, Executors. 20jan6tsat

Abe Martin

While sharpenin' a eye brow pencil this mornin' Miss Tawney Apple severely wounded herself an' is off duty at th' Trade Palace where her splendid generalship is much missed in th' linen rush.

Speakin' o' poultry culture, th' ole fashioned farmer that don't even know where his hens *roost* brings all th' eggs t' town.

Keep Moving!

Household goods, Pianos, etc., handled with care.

PRICES REASONABLE.

Dull's Livery

E. Peach St., Connellsville, Pa.
Bell 50, Tri-State 157.

OLYMPIC

continues

1 P. M. to 11 P. M.
The Biggest 5-Cent Show in Connellsville
The Warmest Place in Town.

In Buying a Suit Do You Look for

Quality?

Or are you one of the many who notice only the style and let quality and workmanship take care of themselves? The garment that hasn't quality back of it will soon become shapeless and void of style and will give only poor satisfaction for but one season. On the other hand if your suit is built on quality, you have a suit that is bound to retain its fine style lines, give honest satisfaction for two or more seasons and only at a small advance in price over the cheaper garment. In other words, it's good economy to buy only the best. Such is our buying policy and the woman who comes to this store for her coat or suit will get the benefit of our long experience in choosing quality. Our new Spring styles are now here in all the leading shades and weaves, well styled, and elegantly tailored and marked to sell from

$20.00 to $40.00

New Neckwear

New Spring numbers that we know you will like. Just arrived and with them are a lot of novelties in large roses, clusters of flowers, rosettes, daisies, etc., with dangles and buds; also a lot of fancy bows in white and colors at all prices.

New Scrims

Curtain muslins, fancy cretonnes and silkolines for spring. Scrims are shown in bars, stripe and plain in white, cream and ecru at 20c to 30c and a line of fancies in colors at 15c to 25c. For over draperies see our fancy cretonnes.

New 12½c Ginghams

Now is the time to buy your Spring Ginghams, and the patterns we are showing offer you a large range of selection. Mostly small checks, bars and stripes with a few large plaids among them. A good lot of dark stripes for skirts and boys' waists. Also in plain and marked at only 12½c

$1 Silk Hose

Just received a shipment of these along with some lisle numbers. These are especially good quality finely woven all silk stocking to sell at $1.00

Lace Caps

New Irish Crocheted patterns in three sizes only, very dainty and pretty. Something new and bound to be popular on account of their beauty. ..50c

Rubberized Raincoats

New styles and just the thing for Spring. Entirely weather proof and good for all summer wear on account of their light weight. They come in tans and greys with storm collars, plain or raglan shoulder and strap cuff A good range of sizes at .....$9.00 to $17.00

E. DUNN

DOWN ON PITTSBURG STREET.

The Sale of Women's High-Grade Shoes Now on in Full Force

WILL CONTINUE TILL SATURDAY

Zeigler Bros., Edwin C. Burt and Queen Quality $3.50, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00 Shoes going at

$2.85

Don't miss us. If you are going to wear shoes, buy them now. We want to clean up and you will need the shoes—a great opportunity.

TAKE NOTICE!
BOYS' AND GIRLS SHOES AT 25% OFF

While this sale is going on for ladies, we will clean up any boys or girls shoe in our store at 25% off. Saturday to be the last night.

C. W. DOWNS & CO.

Armstrong and Dorothy Dodd Shoes

We will fit any Woman with a pair of them **$3 to $5**

and she will find them so good that she can pick no flaw in them. No matter how fussy she is either.

Tans, Dull Leathers, Patents, Suede, Cravenette, Black and Brown Buckskin.

Hooper & Long

NEW CHURCH HOME FOR SCOTTDALE

Reformed Congregation Decides on Building This Year

ON THE OLD CHURCH SITE

Largest Crowd Ever Seen at Patrons' Day Exercises Was Out at Scottdale. Goor Programs Also at North Scottdale and Whites—Other Notes.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 24.—Another new church building is in prospect for spring building work in Scottdale. The congregation of Trinity Reformed church have completed their arrangements to begin the erection of a new edifice on the present lot they own on Chestnut street, and which will make three churches inside of two blocks on that street, the Presbyterian church being on the next corner and the Baptist church on the second corner. The consistory of the church has decided that in justice to the congregation and the pastor, Rev. W. J. Muir, a new building should be put up. The matter has been under consideration for the past two years, the present frame building being inadequate for the work being carried on. The new structure will be of brick, and will cost about $12,000.

The plans are for a central entrance to the auditorium, and on a front corner there will be a tower, with Sunday school rooms underneath. The rear of the building will be the site of the rostrum, deep enough for a pipe organ and the pulpit. The pastor's study will be to the right and on the left there will be a choir room. The basement will be finished to provide for the heating plant and a Sunday school room. Several enclosed class rooms will be used, and there will be two front entrances to the basement.

CANTATA'S DATE.

W. J. Barkell has set the date for the cantata, "Christ and His Soldiers" for Friday evening, March 22. The cantata is being given for the Y. M. C. A. building fund, and a rehearsal will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Reid building, the rehersal set for Monday evening having been abandoned on account of the lecture by Dr. George R. Stuart, in the Y. M. C. A. lecture course at Geyer's opera house on that evening.

PATRONS' DAY WORK.

More than 50 men and women visitors, besides a large number of younger ones, attended the very pleasing Patrons' Day exercises at the North Scottdale schools yesterday afternoon. The addresses of welcome were delivered by Eva Lind and Howard Haskins. Then there were recitations by Ellen Anderson, Louis Stamber, Hale Pritts and Evelyn Patel. This was followed by the dialogue, "Young Soldiers," by five first grade boys. Recitations by Esther Anderson, Lloyd Uber, Kenneth Faith and Otto Carlson followed. The first grade girls then participated in a pretty exercise. This was followed by recitations by Rudolph Anderson, Peter Kowal, William Anderson and Goldie Bergstrom. The flag drill and exercises was the next number of the program. Ruther Horner, Clara Sinkule, Clarence Nelson, Ethel Anderson delivered recitations. "Honest Abe" was the title of the dialogue by Florence Engburg and Hilda Anderson. Otto Engberg, Gerda Lind, Minta Dale Pritts and George Jordan followed with recitations. "Sunshine or Shower" wa sthe subject of a pretty tableau. Then there were recitations by Reynolds Anderson, Ruth Young, Edith Carlson and Sopana Sinkule. Seven boys gave a Lincoln exercise, and this was followed by a tableau. Ethel Anderson gave an oration, and the song, "Home is where the heart is." The exercises all had to do much with the life of Lincoln and Washington and "Ten Dates in the Life of Lincoln" was participated in by the B class. The recitations closed by ones by Minnie Hostettler, Louis Stamber, William Anderson, Eva Carlson and Arthur Carlson. There was a tableau and an exercise by several small girls.

The three main addresses of the afternoon were by Rev. W. H. Guyer, pastor of the Church of God at Alverton; Prof. Landis Tanger, principal of the Scottdale schools and J. H. Bair, principal of the East Huntingdon township schools, and W. C. Myers, a well known former teacher. All the addresses were vivid ones that held the attention of the hearers. The exercise closed with recitations by Lillian Johnson, Frank Claybrook and Lawrence Anderson.

The teachers, H. R. Shupe, Adrienne Stauffer and Mary Miller received many compliments for the manner in which the program was carried out.

FOR ANOTHER WEEK.

The series of evangelistic meetings will continue for another week at the First Methodist Episcopal church, there being a large congregation present last evening. There will be no meeting this evening, but the evangelistic subject will be followed by the pastor, Rev. H. S. Piper at the Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock and the regular series will be resumed at the evening services at 7.30. Although only having gone on for a week the meetings have proven very active ones, and the congregation is getting down to definite work. A feature of the services last evening was the duet sung by Miss Lida Barkell and Robert B. Barkell.

PATRONS' DAY.

The attendance at the Patrons' Day exercises yesterday afternoon was the largest ever seen in the Scottdale schools, the people generally responding to the invitation to visit the schools. In each room of the three buildings an endeavor was made to give an idea of the daily work being carried on by teacher and pupils. The special departments and exhibitions showed the utility of these pursuits, the Manual Training, the Sewing, Art, and Domestic Science. In so far as the last has been attained here, made an interesting series of exhibitions, which seemed pleasing to the people, to judge by the time they tarried in each of the rooms and the comments offered upon the work.

AT WHITE SCHOOL.

The teachers and pupils of the White school, at the edge of town, offered an extensive and interesting program of recitations and music to the patrons yesterday afternoon, and many visitors were present, who enjoyed the exercises greatly.

MEDICAL CORPS MAKES GOOD IN ALL CLIMATES

Not Only Cleans Up Panama and Cuba, But Chases Beri-Beri in Philippines.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—What the Medical Corps of the United States Army can do in the extermination of diseases peculiar to countries not of the same climatic conditions as the United States, has been shown by its work in Cuba and the Canal Zone, but no better illustration can be given than the very efficient manner in which it has practically eliminated beri-beri in the Philippine Scouts.

Much of the efficiency of the Scouts, in the early days of their organization was seriously impaired by the prevalence of this dreaded scourage, but now under the watchful eye of the medical officers of the army the disease has become virtually non-existent, less than half a dozen cases having developed during the past year. Reports show that in 1909 there were 836 cases among the scouts; in 1910, 159, and in 1911 only five.

At the close of 1909, medical officers concluded that the cause of the epidemic was the highly polished rice of commerce. They therefore made the experiment of limiting the amount of rice to sixteen ounces and enforcing the use of unpolished grain.

With those who know the difficulty of breaking in on the time-immemorial customs of the Orientals there is no doubt that the army officers justify the commendation given them by General Bell in his latest report when he says: "This unprecedentedly favorable condition reflects most creditably on the zeal, energy and efficiency of the members of the Medical Corps."

LITTLE BOY IS MISSING.

Child Thought to Have Fallen Through the Ice While at Play.

GROVE CITY, Pa., Feb. 24.—Charles, the four-year-old son of John Christy, who resides two miles below here, mysteriously disappeared while playing along the edge of a stream yesterday morning. It is feared that he slipped through a hole in the ice and was drowned.

The child left home with his father when the latter started for work in the morning and, while the man was not paying much attention, went to the edge of the stream. When the father looked around the child was nowhere to be seen.

A number of men are searching for the boy. The mother is prostrated.

Men and Religion Meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 24.—Tomorrow will mark the formal opening of the Men and Religion Forward Movement campaign in San Francisco. The meetings here will continue until March 3 and will be followed by a similar campaign in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley. The features that have characterized the campaigns in many large cities in the East and Middle West will be dublicated here and in addition there will be a series of special meetings in which the Chinese and Japanese residents of San Francisco and vicinity will take part.

Opposition to Woman Suffrage.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Influential support is promised for the great meeting in Albert Hall next Wednesday which is to mark the beginning of a very active campaign against the granting of votes to women. Lord Cromer will preside at the meeting and among the eminent speakers will be Lord Curzon, Lord Loreburn, Lewis Hercourt, M. P., and Mrs. Humphrey Ward.

London's Motors.

More than 57,000 motor vehicles are registered in London this year.

A True Friend

Would not give you a drug in your food.

But many persons, of their own accord, drink coffee or tea day after day—ignoring the fact that there is a drug, caffeine, in every cup.

True, you may be able to "stand it" for a time, but the drug is there and sooner or later is pretty sure to show in some annoying ailment.

There can be no relief until the cause is removed.

Simply leaving off coffee and tea will work wonders, but it is much easier if you shift to well-made

POSTUM

It is made of wheat and contains no caffeine or other harmful substance.

It does contain the phosphate of potash (grown in the wheat) which Nature requires for the proper nourishment of Brain and Nerves.

"There's a Reason."

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

INDIGESTION, SOURNESS, DYSPEPSIA AND ALL STOMACH MISERY GOES

A Little Diapepsin Will Make You Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

There would not be a case of indigestion here if readers who are subject to Stomach trouble knew the tremendous anti-ferment and digestive virtue contained in Diapepsin. This harmless preparation will digest a heavy meal without the slightest fuss or discomfort, and relieve the sourest, acid stomach in five minutes, besides overcoming all foul, Nauseous odors from the breath.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on each 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will readily understand why this promptly cures Indigestion and removes such symptoms as Heartburn, a feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, Belching of Gas and Eructations of undigested food, water brash, Nausea, Headache, Biliousness and many other bad symptoms; and, besides, you will not need laxatives to keep your stomach, liver and intestines clean and fresh.

If your Stomach is sour and full of gas, or your food doesn't digest, and your meals don't seem to fit, why not get a 50-cent case from your druggist and make life worth living? Absolute relief from Stomach misery and perfect digestion of anything you eat is sure to follow five minutes after, and, besides, one case is sufficient to cure a whole family of such trouble.

Surely, a harmless, inexpensive preparation like Diapepsin, which will always, either at daytime or during night, relieve your stomach misery and digest your meals, is about as handy and valuable a thing as you could have in the house.

SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

Church notices are printed without charge only upon condition that they are sent to The Courier office not later than 9 o'clock Saturday morning. They should be limited to the time of service and the subject; although brief reference may be made to special features. No church notices can be taken by telephone or used when reaching this office later than 9 A. M. Saturday.

M. P. CHURCH.—Robert E. Cairns, pastor. Sabbath school 9.30, morning service 11 o'clock, subject "Christ with the Wild Beasts." Intermediate C. E. Society 2.30 P. M., leader, Mara Lloyd Stillwagon. Junior C. E. Society 3.30 P. M., Catherine Penn, leader. C. E. Society 6.45 P. M., leader, Mrs. Marstella. Evening service 7.30 o'clock.

M. E. CHURCH.—Rev. R. C. Wolf, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Preaching at both services by the pastor. Sabbath school 9.45 A. M. Epworth League 6.30 P. M. Class meeting 2.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7.30 o'clock. Junior League Friday after school, 4 to 5 o'clock.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Nelson of Saginaw, Mich., who has been with us for the past week, will fill the pulpit of the First Baptist Church morning and evening. Good attendance desired. Sunday school 9.45 A. M. Morning service 11 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. 6.30 P. M. Evening service 7.30 o'clock.

U. P. CHURCH.—Divine worship at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. P. Frank White. Other services at usual hours. Prayer service Wednesday at 7.45 P. M. Everybody welcome.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.—S. Pittsburg and Green streets, Rev. C. E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday school 9.15 A. M. sharp. Be on time. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Morning subject, "Resisting the Tempter." Evening topic, "What the Church Member can do for the Church." Catechetical Class Sunday at 2.30 P. M. Special meeting of the Young Ladies' Guild at parsonage Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer service Wednesday at 7.30 P. M., followed by meeting of Sunday School Association, postponed from last week. Welcome to all services and meetings.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Bible school at 9.30 A. M. Everyone will wish to hear the plans for March. 10.40 A. M., Communion and preaching, theme, "The Divine Standard of Missions." 6.30 P. M., Christian Endeavor, subject, "The Home Missionary that has most inspired me," Mrs. H. F. Mason, leader. 7.30 P. M., mid-week meeting, subject "Foreign Missions." A cordial welcome to all.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Divine services will be held at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ellis E. Burgess. Morning subject, "The Temptations of Jesus." Evening subject, "Stronger Than Samson." The Bible school will open promptly at 9.15 A. M. with a roll call of teachers.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, South Connellsville, R. C. Miller, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M., subject "The Temptation of Jesus." Evening service at 7.30 o'clock, subject "The Three Judgments." Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Young People's Alliance at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening in charge of Woman's Missionary Society.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, J. L. Proudfit, pastor. Sabbath school at 9.45 A. M. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject "Not Ashamed of the Gospel." In the evening the subject will be "The Sneering Man," the last sermon in the series on "Four Men I Know." An excellent orchestra plays at these special services. All are welcome. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.15 o'clock.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S Church.—On Carnegie avenue and East South street, Geo. Dietz, pastor. Lenten services at 10.30 A. M., subject of sermon to be taken from St. Luke XVIII, 31-43, "The Passion Way to Jerusalem." Sunday school at 9 A. M. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Otto Koehler's residence. Confirmation Class on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Tomorrow afternoon Rev. Dietz will hold a German Lenten service at Uniontown at the English Lutheran St. Paul's Church of Rev. J. K. Welsmer on Gallatin avenue.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH.—Crawford avenue, A. B. Wilson, pastor. Bible school 9.45 A. M. Morning worship, 11 o'clock. Juniors at 2 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Y. P. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

MT. PLEASANT.

Special to The Courier.

MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 24.—Patrons' Day was well attended by parents and other people interested in the schools. The regular school work was gone through with and the rooms were nicely decorated with work done by the pupils. Ushers were present in the halls of each building to take the people to the room or rooms they wished to visit.

The firemen held a special meeting in the Municipal building last evening when the new by-laws were read for the second time.

James Underwood was arrested by Chief John Parfitt for being drunk last evening.

The Girls' Glee Club of this place wil give a concert on March 12 in Scotdale under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church and another concert in Ruffadale under the auspices of the Sunday School of the Christ Reformed Church.

The preliminary game of basketball last evening was played between the Youngwood Juniors and the Mt Pleasant Boy Scouts, the latter winning by a score of 14 to 13. The lineup:

Scouts—14.	Juniors—13.
Myers	left forward	Lynch
Stewart	right forward	Woods
Crosby	center	Hersby
Bowers	right guard	Bush
Fiddler	left guard	Wolfe

Substitutions—Baker for Wolfe, Miller for Fiddler, Sturtz for Baker.

Field gols—Myers 3, Stewart, Miller, Hersby 2, Bush 3, Wolfe.

Foul goals—Myers 1, Bowers 1, Hersby 1.

The second game was between the Greensburg-Ludwick Scholastics who defeated the Independents by a score of 33 to 18. The lineup:

Greensburg—33.	Mt. Pleasant—18.
Davis	right forward	Thompson
Freelander	left forward	Cunningham
Kelley	center	King
Looper	right guard	McClain
Fait	left guard	Eicher

Substitution—Rumbaugh for Eicher.

Field goals—Davis 6, Freelander 1, Kelly 2, Looper 1, Fait 2, Thompson 3, King 2, Rumbaugh 3.

Foul goals—Davis 2 out of 6, Fait 1, King 1 out of 3, Thompson 2 out of 6.

Referee—Werder.

Timekeepers—R. M. Maxwell and McClory.

Scorer—C. P. Maxwell and Glass.

George Stoner is the guest of friends in Findley, O.

Elmer Wolfenberger, who has been employed at Thompson No. 2, near Uniontown is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Wolfenberger, of College avenue.

Dr. J. W. Allen of Uniontown, was the guest of the Protected Home Circle last evening.

Harry Freeman returned home yesterday after spending a couple of days with friends in Pittsburg.

Attorney Ralph Hurst of Greensburg, was here looking up old friends last evening.

Monroe Lohr of Connellsville, attended the basketball game here last evening.

Miss Anna Freeman was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Condie of Scotdale.

Miss Irma Bobbs was a business calor in Scottdale yesterday.

Miss Braning of Greensburg is spending a few days with Miss Jane Poorman.

Mrs C. L. Brown and daughters, Misses Helen and Martha, left yesterday to visit Morgantown friends.

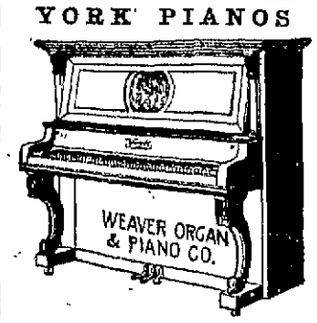
Miss Edith Kromer of Calumet is the geust of the Misses Hitchman of East Washington street.

Miss Anna Cossell of Bradford, is the guest of the Misses Irwin of College avenue.

Aid to Science.

As the result of the boring of the Alps for railroad purposes geologists have secured much valuable scientific data.

YORK PIANOS



Uprights and Players. Most popular line in the trade. A few years ago this was the Weaver Piano. It still bears the name Weaver Organ & Piano Co., which alone is the guarantee of a fine instrument.

J. B. MYERS, JR., Mt. Pleasant, - - - - - Pa.

Our Mid-Winter Clearance Sale

is now nearing the end, and with it, your last opportunity to buy high grade merchandise at the lowest prices.

While some stocks have been greatly depleted during this wonderful sale, you must remember this good big store with its tremendous stocks, can sell hundreds of suits and coats, and still have selections for late comers.

You late comers who have put off buying that Ladies' Coat, Dress or Suit, or that Coat or Suit for your daughter, will find that the prices now prevailing will warrant you putting off that purchase no longer.

Just Think of Buying $18, $20 and $22.50 Suits, Coats and Dresses for Half

Also $25, $30 and $35 Garments for Half

We still have a few nice plush, seal and fur coats remaining; also a few nice fur sets, all this winter's latest styles. Buy now for next winter at

Half Off the Plainly Marked Prices

Prospective purchasers will find liberal reductions now prevailing on all winter underwear and hosiery, comforts and blankets, outing flannel and domestics.

In Our Men's Department We Have Marked Down for Quick Selling

All Men's Winter Coats and Suits. If you appreciate the saving of $5, $10 or $15, on a good suit or overcoat, give us a call and let us convince you of our ability to save you money.

ECONOMY-RELIABILITY-COURTESY

FELDSTEIN-LEVINE COMPANY

Porter Block Connellsville, Pa.

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$3.50 Recipe For Weak Kidneys, Free.

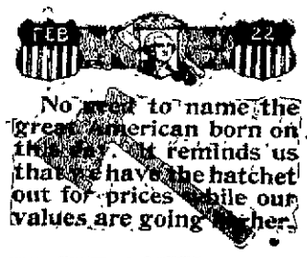
Relieves Urinary and Kidney Troubles, Backache, Straining, Swelling, Etc.

STOPS PAIN IN THE BLADDER, KIDNEYS AND BACK.

Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to begin to say good bye forever to the scalding, dribbling, straining, or too frequent passage of urine; the stitches and pains in the back; the growing muscle weakness, spots before the eyes; yellow skin; sluggish bowels; swollen eyelids or ankles; leg cramps; unnatural short breath; sleeplessness and then despondency?

I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you $3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this. Dr. A. E. Robinson, K-037 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power.

It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.



WE CUT DOWN

all charges for "extras" whenever possible. In many cases there are no extras at all because we endeavor to make our contracts comprehensive enough to include every possible emergency.

When We Start to Build

we don't immediately start to find out how little we must do under our contract. We often do more rather than disappoint the owner.

Connellsville Construction Company,

402 First National Bank,

CONNELLSVILLE, - - - PA.

COAL

Let DeHaven Coal Company fill your cellar at 6½c, delivered. Tri-State 834. Bell 1197.

WHAT HE DIDN'T LIKE.

"He shouldn't waste his time writing poetry."

"I don't care about his time, but he has no right wasting my time by reading it to me."

WRONG WAY.

She—I understand that she has a great amount of money, but she never has any attention from men.

He—Well, perhaps she doesn't let them know she has it.

Spring Time Coming

Spring Goods Here.

The Union Supply Company announce the first arrival of new spring goods. The long continued cold weather has cleaned us out entirely of all heavy goods, and although it is a little early, it is absolutely necessary now to show our new spring goods. They are rolling into our stores daily; goods that were bought at least six months ago, comprising almost every line we handle. The novelties in women's wear, direct from the Eastern manufacturers; made especially to our order are coming. Very beautiful shirt waists, skirts and spring wraps for women, misses and children. During the balance of this month we will receive daily, new goods; large consignments.

Arrival of New Spring Shoes for Men and Women.

The reputation of our shoe department for good stylish shoes, is well known throughout the coke region. We believe the stock of styles and prices are better this season than ever before. The shoe departments are now filled with entirely new stock. We feel quite sure that our styles for women and misses, excell anything offered in this region, and we are just as sure, that our prices are as low and perhaps a little lower, than any other shoe merchant's in this region. Dress shoes for men and boys are equally as stylish; equally as good looking and fully as cheap. Then, the working shoes for which we have such a great demand, are perhaps better this year than ever before. We study the wants of our trade, especially in working shoes, and adopt the styles that we know are durable and comfortable. The miner, coke drawer, the driver, the machinist, or men of any other craft, desiring specially made shoes for their business, can find them in our stores.

UNION SUPPLY CO.

63 LARGE DEPARTMENT STORES,

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland & Allegheny Cos.

FOR THE WORKINGMAN SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE LOTS ARE BARGAINS.

AMATEURS DESIGN THE TARIFF BILL

Tin Plate Manufacturer Says Schedule for That Metal Shows Ignorance.

PLAN SENATE WILL FOLLOW

Expected Regular Republicans Will Make Adverse Report Because Tariff Board Has Not Acted But Some Favor Substitute Bill as Check.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.—Charging that A. Mitchell Palmer and his associates on the sub-committee of the Ways and Means Committee which framed the tin plat schedules of the steel tariff bill were not competent to perform that duty because of their lack of practical knowledge of the tin plate business, W. U. Follansbee of Pittsburg, president of the Follansbee Tin Plate Company, with mills at Follansbee, W. Va., yesterday attacked the bill before the Senate Committee on Finance.

"How do you know that the men on that committee were not competent to handle such a subject?" asked Senator Kern.

"Because I was in close touch with not only Chairman Underwood of the Ways and Means Committee, but with Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania, chairman of the sub-committee that framed the bill. They got considerable information from me bearing on the tin plate industry while the measure was being framed. I do mean that they are not perfectly competent to deal with legislation, but they are not familiar with the tin plate business."

Mr. Follansbee said the industry presents many problems which requires practical experience to solve. He has had thirty years' experience in the business, he said, and feels that he knows more about it than the framers of the bill, who know nothing about in a practical way. He said that under the provisions of the Underwood bill it would be impossible for American manufacturers of tin plate to compete with foreigners. He advocated a reduction of the duty in Payne bill from 1.2 cents a pound to 1 cent a pound, but said the Underwood proposition of an ad valorem duty would mean ruin to the business.

One cent a pound, he said, would afford ample protection to the American manufacturer. He said the Pacific Coast trade in American tin plate has been practically lost and Mr. Palmer had admitted that under the Underwood bill it would be entirely lost. He spoke of the prosperity of employes in his mills, who now receive the highest pay they have ever had, averaging for 1911, $3.25 a day or $874 a year compared with the very low pay of foreign workmen. He reiterated the reasons for inability to compete with foreign manufacturers. Lower wages, shorter hauls to assemble materials and longer working hours abroad are some of them.

Robert Garland of Pittsburg, president of the Garland Nut & Rivet Company, said that under the proposed removal of all duty on goods produced by him it would be impossible to compete with foreign manufacturers. The present duty on goods such as he manufactures is ⅜ cents per pound. Under the provisions of the Underwood bill the duty is removed entirely, which he said would be ruinous to business. Even the present duty, he asserted, does not cover the difference between the cost of labor in the United States and that abroad.

Mr. Garland took exception to the statements of other steel men Thursday that the United States Steel Corporation produces about 40 per cent of the total steel production of the country in value. He asserted that the output of the steel corporation would not exceed 20 per cent of the total in value.

Eli Atwood, president of the Lebanon Chain Company of Lebanon, Pa., bespoke a fair trial of the Payne law. He said that practically ever since it was enacted there has been tariff agitation and that business is never good when the tariff is under discussion. He urged the Senate committee not to permit the new tariff bill to pass and to assure business of at least a trial of the provisions of the law without fear of another revival.

Others before the committee today were Horace A. Beale of the Parkersburg Iron Company of Pennsylvania, and John C. Schmidt of Pittsburg, president of the Standard Chain Company. They discussed the bill along practically the same lines and opposed its passage.

The tariff legislation program in the Senate will be framed at conferences which Democrats, progressives and regular Republicans will hold soon after the Finance Committee concludes its hearings on the steel revision bill early in March.

Democratic leaders will make a stand for the House measure, with perhaps a modification that would not interfere with party solidarity in Congress, and then, having gone on record for the straight Democratic bill, to endeavor to reach some common ground with the progressive Republicans.

The regular Republicans probably will rest on the absence of a report from the Tariff Board and simply bring in an adverse report on the House measure. They are not unanimous on that point, however. Some insist the committee should report a Republican substitute for the measure passed by the Democratic House.

Progressive Republican Senators have reached no general conclusion, the plan of the most active being to make some concessions for the Democrats if the concessions asked are not too great. The progressive demand is for a reduction of the duties, but not such a reduction as will carry the tariff below the protective point.

Some of the more conservative progressives, however, are already discussing hte advisability of waiting a reasonable time for the Tariff oBard's report.

Fire Loss Heavy.

In the last two years Canada has lost by fires property worth 45,000,000.

STRAY TOPICS FROM LITTLE OLD NEW YORK.

Special to The Courier.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The president of the New York tax department has submitted his preliminary report to the Mayor. Upon this report the assessment rolls for the year 1912 will be based. The report deals in approximate figures only. It shows the increase in the assessed values of real estate, exclusive of special franchises and the decrease on account of exemptions and reductions are as follows: Manhattan, increase of $44,300,000; Bronx, increase of $14,940,000; Brooklyn, increase of $450,000; Queens, increase of $11,860,000; a total of $71,550,000. Richmond borough shows a decrease of $1,350,000, making the net increase of the five boroughs $70,200,000.

To offset this there is a special franchise reduction of $67,869,301, bringing the total net increase in the city assessment on buildings and real estate to $4,330,700, which means an increase in the borrowing capacity of the city of about $400,000. Considering the enormous increase in the values of real estate in this city and the gigantic debt already carried by the city this increase seems rather paltry.

The absurdities of the Sullivan gun law, which has caused so much discussion and criticism already are clearly illustrated by two cases which were recorded here within a few days. In one case a woodman from Maine was arrested because he was found wandering through the streets with a revolver in his hand. In the magistrate's court the man said that he had been robbed by a stranger and that he was hunting for the thief when the policeman arrested him. The magistrate not only discharged the man but gave him money enough to reach Passaic, where the prisoner has friends. In the other case the foreman of a construction company in North Carolina, who had always been in the habit of carrying a pistol for self protection, had to come to New York on business. When he learned upon his arrival in the city that the laws of the State prohibited the carrying of weapons, he went to the nearest police station and, explaining the circumstances, handed the revolver to the Lieutenant in charge of the station. The lieutenant promptly arrested the law-abiding man from North Carolina and, being a stranger in the city, the man had to remain in a cell all night. It is true, he was discharged by the magistrate on the following morning, but he felt keenly the humiliation of being arrested and kept in a cell all night. Moreover he was not permitted to take his trusty gun back to North Carolina with him, although he was assured that the police would send it to him by express.

It does not happen very often that a man falls head first down an elevator shaft from the eighth floor of a building and lives to tell the tale. An Irish steel worker, employed in the erection of a twenty-five story office building on Maiden Lane, had that rare and rather exciting experience the other day. While fixing the doors to the elevator shaft on the eighth floor the man stopped on a loose plank and shot head first down the shaft, followed by several boards and a big pane of plate glass. Fortunately for him he became entangled in the cables suspended in the shaft which he broke his fall and saved him from being dashed to pieces when he reached the top of the elevator cages on the ground floor. A few cuts and bruises were the extent of his injuries.

Considering the fact that the Pennsylvania Terminal station has now been in use for more than a year and that during that time hundreds of thousands have passed through the station, it is rather surprising that an unexpected visit of the stork was delayed until the other day. Mr. and Mrs. Rohll arrived at the station from New Brunswick, N. J., for a visit to New York, but upon their arrival at the station Mrs. Rohll was surprised by a visit from the stork. The child, a healthy little girl, was born in the women's retiring room of the terminal and enjoys the distinction of being the first baby to see the light of day in that busy structure. The only sad feature of the event is that, following the absurd custom, the parents of the little girl may bestow some such frightful name as Pennsylvania Terminal or Pennsylvania Station upon the defenseless mite.

With the work on the Panama Canal nearing completion the general interest in the great undertaking is rapidly increasing. Among the wealthier classes a perfect mania has broken out to visit the canal and the steamers leaving New York for the Isthmus are crowded with passengers. Staterooms are engaged for many weeks ahead and the demand for transportation is steadily increasing. As the hotel accommodations on the Isthmus are quite inadequate, the majority of the tourists use their steamer as a hotel during the two days in Colon.

A few days ago a woman had her husband, who conducts an employment agency, arrested on the charge of ill-treating and neglecting her. When the case came up before a magistrate the woman testified that her husband not only beat her frequently, but also remained away from his home over night on frequent occasions and that he was in the habit of going to theatres with girls, without ever taking his lawful wife. The prisoner denied the truth of his wife's charges and stated that she wagged her tongue so much that he could not live with her. The magistrate gave the man the choice between going to the workhouse for a year or to submit to the conditions of being placed on probation for the same length of time. The wise Kadi decreed that the recalcitrant husband must come home and report to his wife every evening at 9 o'clock and that he has to take his wife along when he goes to theatres or some other place of amusement. It took the prisoner some time to decide which sentence he would accept. He finally, however, accepted the probation in spite of its irksome conditions.

POULTRY

SOME MISTAKES IN POULTRY

Too Many Beginners Start on Too Large Scale—Most Common Error Is "Learning Too Fast."

It is well for the beginner to adopt the advice of men who are veterans in the service, in order that they may avoid many of the stumbling blocks, says the Poultry Journal.

Too many novices start on too large a scale. They are not content to begin at the bottom round of the ladder and gradually climb to the top. That is too slow for them. If blessed with sufficient capital they are pretty sure to start on a large scale. Without experience, is it any wonder that they do not succeed?"

But this is not the only cause of failure with the beginner. The others might briefly be stated as having too much land; buildings too scattered, entailing too much unnecessary labor; the breed or breeds selected not being suitable for the purpose intended; house not built upon the sanitary plan; too much changing of the bill of fare; unmindful of small details; harboring too much unprofitable stock; carelessness in caring for ailing birds; relying too much on hired help, and learning too fast.

It is a waste of money to buy too much land. From 5 to 10 acres is sufficient for the largest kind of plant.

A general mistake is the continual changing of the bill of fare. There should be one system of feeding and that regularly followed. The bill of fare should contain the greatest variety possible, but the system should not be changed. New articles of food should not be given to the exclusion of others until the fowls have had a chance to become acquainted with them. All additions or changes should be gradually made. If the fowls are doing well on what they are getting, no change should be made at all.

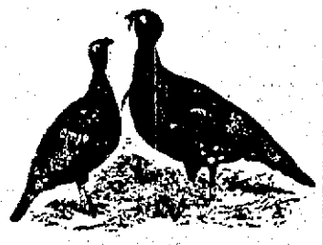
Probably the most common error is "learning too fast." It is a noteworthy fact that, as a rule, by the close of the first year the beginner forms the opinion that he knows it all. Thirty years spent in the poultry yard has taught the writer that he has much yet to learn. There is always something new turning up.

The wise man reads, studies, practices and investigates, thus daily adding to his store of knowledge.

SUCCESS IN TURKEY RAISING

Inadvisable for One to Attempt to Rear Large Fowls Unless Abundance of Space Available.

It is inadvisable for any one to attempt turkey rearing unless they have abundance of space, for these birds,



Gobbler and Hen.

more perhaps than any other denizens of the poultry yard, are unable to bear confinement. Sundry attempts have been made to rear them in limited runs, but as yet the effort has not met with success. Those who are favored with space will find turkey rearing profitable, provided that they can secure attention being given to the birds.

COMBATING LICE IN CHICKS

Small Quantity of Olive Oil Rubbed on Fowl's Head Will Prove Quite Effectual.

If fowls are healthy, the premises kept clean, and a dust bath or ashes provided, lice rarely get the upper hand, it being through the brood hens, transmitting them to the chickens, that most harm ensues. A hen with many or few lice on her when sitting transmits them to the chickens immediately they are hatched. They are to be found stationary on the chicken's head, above the beak and eyes, and in a few days when they get more plentiful, are to be found behind and on top of head and throat. A simple and effective treatment adopted by the government station in New South Wales is to place a small quantity of olive oil in a saucer, and the day after hatching dip the finger in the oil and thoroughly rub it into the fluff of the chicken's head and under the throat. This will kill the lice if present and if repeated the second or third day there will be little fear of any escaping. When a week or ten days old the chickens should be examined again and if any of the vermin are found at this age a little kerosene can be added to the olive oil. It is best to anoint all chickens with the oil immediately after they are hatched, such being a sure preventive of the scourge.

Care of Poultry Runs.

Plowing and liming the poultry runs purifies the soil.

And is Called Whiskey?

Intoxicating liquors have been made from the sap of the birch, the willow, the poplar and the sycamore.

Charles B. Lewis at 70 Years of Age is Still Making Thousands Laugh at His Humor

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Seventy years young and still as busy as he has ever been—that is Charles B. Lewis, known to newspaper readers of two continents as "M. Quad." He has been writing funny stuff since 1867, and he still turns out a column a day, Sundays included. His Brother Gardner's Limeklin club sketches, his Arizona Kicker and his Mr. and Mrs. Bowser have been popular for two generations and they are still read eagerly by hundreds of thousands. On Mr. Lewis' seventieth birthday he went to the office of the McClure newspaper syndicate, where many of his friends had gathered, and there he received a beautiful album containing messages of congratulation and good will from all of America's funny men, comic artists and many prominent editors and literary men.

LABOR WORLD NOTES.

Persons who hold political offices, either elective or appointive, will be excluded from the Minneapolis Trades and Labor Assembly.

The Textile Council of Pawtucket, R. I., will soon introduce in the State Legislature a bill providing for a maximum working law of 54 hours a week.

Wages of factory employes and of common laborers, including domestic servants, are today 75 per cent higher at Leghorn, Italy, than in the spring of 1909.

There are about one hundred and eighty thousand members of the four railway men's unions in England, and there is a movement on foot to unite these organizations.

A permanent commission has been formed in Mexico to settle industrial disputes and prevent strikes, the commission to work in conjunction with a government labor bureau.

The death rate among miners in Colorado is twenty times as high as that in Prussian mines. The American death rate among miners is much larger than the average abroad.

The strike record of the Canadian labor department shows that there were only eight trade disputes in existence during December of last year, being six fewer than in November and two fewer than in December, 1910.

The leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World plan a speech making campaign in Vancouver, B. C., the speakers to megaphone their views from boats in the bay to meetings ashore, in order to avoid police interference.

The Dominion Labor Congress, to be held in Guelph, Ont., in the summer will probably be the greatest of its kind ever held in Canada. Members of the English unions and of the American Federation of Labor will attend the Congress.

The president of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union reports to the membership that thirty new local unions were formed during the year 1911 in the United States and Canada, and that the membership is fast approaching the 100,000 mark.

The British Parliamentary labor party represents 2,500,000 trade unionists, and has forty-two members in the house of commons, and now proposes to wage a vigorous campaign to obtain a larger representation. Funds will be raised to finance a daily paper.

The New York theatrical stage employes have decided that they are entitled to 62½ cents an hour. The new regulation also limits the regular working hours of a day, and after that period has passed the stage hand will receive double wage, or in most cases $1.25 an hour.

Mrs. Raymond Robins, president of the National Woman's Trade Union League, has announced that she will start a national campaign for a minimum wage scale for five million women workers in this country, and that the American Federation of Labor has endorsed her plan.

A census to determine the places of residence of 18,400 girls working in stores, factories and business houses of Minneapolis and conditions under which they live is to be taken by students of the university and members of the Women's Welfare League. The league has in view providing model lodging houses.

THIS IS MY 70TH BIRTHDAY.

John Habberton.

John Habberton, whose famous story of "Helen's Babies" made everybody laugh a generation ago, was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., February 24, 1842. He was educated in the public schools, but never attended college. Later, however, hi sexperiences as a printer, soldier, merchant and journalist, gave him that mental poise that made him a successful author. For many years he was on the editorial staff of one of the prominent New York newspapers. Mr. Habberton has written a number of books, but none of them has enjoyed a tithe of the popularity of his one celebrated story.

Congratulations to:

Rear Admiral Joseph E. Craig, U. S. N., retired, 67 years old today.

Sir Richard W. Scott, member of the Senate of Canada and known as the father of the Canada Temperance Act, 87 years old today.

SHORTAGE IS ALLEGED.

West Virginia Sheriffs May Be Asked to Refund Nearly $10,000.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 24.—Disclosing alleged irregularities in the office of the sheriff of Logan county from 1905 to the present time amounting to nearly $10,000, an audit was made public today by the State Accountant Department. The alleged irregularities are due to excessive commissions and interest taken by sheriffs and to clerical errors.

Ex-Sheriff J. M. Moore is held liable for $5,400 and Sheriff J. W. Chambers for $4,200.

N.Y. City Firemen Become Intoxicated

While working at a fire the other night several firemen became intoxicated and although their condition incapacitated them, they were not even reprimanded for it. The fire was in a liquor warehouse and men became intoxicated by the fumes of the liquor which came from the bottles broken during the progress of the fire.

Is Costing Big.

The cost of Italy's Tripoli expedition is estimated at $2,500,000 a day.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of unclaimed letters advertised at the postoffice at Connellsville on February 20, 1912:

Austin F.	Majcyak Miss
Bulsley Miss Katie	Christian
Barnett Mrs. Frank	Morton Henry
Barker T. B.	Moore F. R.
Boyd S. C.	Martin Mrs. Geo.
Colonial Trust Co.	Marletta Mis Julia
Collins Miss	Marchionni
Margaret	Michele
Dawson Bill	McCarthy Miss
Devlin W. J.	Laura
Ehane F. G.	Morris Robtrt B.
Foley Wm.	Ocelavanla Miss
Gannon Mrs.	Anna
Elizabeth	P. People Co (3)
Genot Miss	Papunik Michael
Josephine	Rhodes Mrs.
Jenkins Mrs. J. R.	Blanche
King Miss Mary	Smith James
Keffer Mrs. Albert	Schroyer Earl
Kelly Mrs. Jono R.	Smith H.
Lailey Mrs. M. H.	Sutman Mrs. H. C.
Moser Mrs. Homer	Stewart Mrs.
Mutzko	Isabell
Kovacs-Petter	Sheering
Mgr. Colonial	Margaret
Hotel	Woods Miss Kate
Mort Chas. H.	Walters Miss Ella
FOREIGN.	
Bernini Rosa	Sasick Jandre
Dvonyik Johan	Salava Andej
Hirka Merl	Smith Bert
Kostyic Paul	Santowsky
Koesis Johan	Frederick

Checking Accounts No. 6

How a Checking Account Can Make You a Bond Owner

When you get a surplus of $100 or more in your checking account you are in a position to consult the bank about buying a good bond, bearing 4½ to 6 per cent interest.

The bond will cost $500; you give your check to the bank for $100 and your note for $400, leaving the bond with the bank as collateral security for the note. The interest on the bond will pay the interest on the note from the start, and, with every payment you make on the principal, the interest will be reduced. When you get one bond paid you can borrow money on it from the bank to buy another.

This bank will be glad to assist you to become a bond owner. Come in and get full information.

Next Week we will tell you about the advantages of having a Checking Account in making collections.

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"The Bank That Does Things for You."
129 W. MAIN STREET. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
4% on Savings. Steamship Tickets. All Languages Spoken.

Better Open a Checking Account Right Now

at the beginning of 1912 and pay all bills with checks. It's the safest and most convenient way.

Second National Bank
Connellsville, Pa.
The Eight-Story Fireproof Building.

Efficient Service and Courteous Treatment

Has enabled us, within the past year, to double the number of our customers. Quite a number of persons and societies, with surplus funds, who do not want to tie up their money subject to the rules of a regular 4% account, are taking advantage of our special 3% accounts.

If you are a customer at this bank you will always find us willing to extend any reasonable accommodation on satisfactory security.

Our Customers Always Receive the Preference.

If you have a little ready money it will pay you to open an account with us, become acquainted, and take advantage of our service.

The Colonial National Bank
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
Corner Main and Pittsburg Streets.
4% Interest paid on Certificates and Time Deposits. Foreign Department equipped to give the best of service.

WHEN OPENING

a Bank Account or increasing your present banking facilities, we shall be pleased to have you make inquiries regarding this bank's finances and methods of transacting all banking matters—then see our Cashier about opening an account here.

Union National Bank, West Side, Connellsville, Pa.

The Yough National Bank,
126 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.
Capital and Surplus.....$150,000
Total Resources.....$900,000
4% Interest Paid on Savings.

JOHNSTON COAL COMPANY
WE CAN NOW SUPPLY YOU WITH LUMP COAL.
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AGENT FOR
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Persistent Saving Wins

Start this good habit today by opening an account with the Title & Trust Co., of Western Pennsylvania where your money will soon multiply at compound interest.

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Insure Your Property With
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Insurance and Real Estate
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Both Phones.
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
Leading Companies-Lowest Rates
Old Established Agency.

PATRONIZE THOSE WHO ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY COURIER.

"Come on, Nevvy!" said Yancy following, and they all entered the tavern.

"Well, here's to the best of good luck!" said Murrell, as he raised his glass to his lips.

"Same here," responded Yancy. Murrell pulled out a roll of bills, one of which he tossed on the bar. Then after a moment's hesitation he detached a second bill from the roll and turned to Hannibal.

"Here, youngster—a present for you," he said good-naturedly. Hannibal, embarrassed by the unexpected gift, edged to his Uncle Bob's side.

"Thank you, sir," said the boy.

"Let's have another drink," suggested Murrell.

Presently Hannibal stole out into the yard. He still held the bill in his hand, for he did not quite know how to dispose of his great wealth. After debating this matter for a moment he knotted it carefully in one corner of his handkerchief.

In the tavern the three men were drinking—Murrell with the idea that the more Yancy came under the influence of Slosson's corn whisky the easier his speculation would be managed. Mr Yancy on his part believed that if Murrell went to bed reasonably drunk he would sleep late and give him the opportunity he coveted, to quit the tavern unobserved at break of day.

"When yo' get to feelin' like sleep, young boss, Mas'r Slosson he says I show yo' to yo' chamber." It was Slosson's boy Eph.

"Yes, you can show me my chamber," Hannibal said.

Eph secured a tin candle stick with a half-burnt candle in it and led the way into the passage back of the bar.

They mounted a flight of stairs and passed down a narrow hall. This brought them to the back of the building, and Eph pushed open the door on his right

"This heah's yo' chamber," he said, and preceding his companion into the room, placed the candle on a chair.

The moon was rising and Hannibal went to the open window and glanced out. For a moment he considered the night, not unaffected by its beauty, then, turning from the window, he moved his bundle and rifle to the foot of the bed, where they would be out of his way, kicked off his trousers, blew out the candle and lay down.

Yancy had become more and more convinced as the evening passed that Murrell was bent on getting him drunk, and suspicion mounted darkly to his brain.

"Have a drink with me!" cried Slosson, giving way to drunken laughter

"The captain's dropped out, and I low it's about time fo' these here festivities to come to an end. I'm thinking some of going to bed myself," said Yancy. He kept his eyes fixed on Murrell. He realized that if the latter could prevent it he was not to leave the bar. He never shifted his glance from Murrell's face. Scowling now, the captain's eyes blazed back their challenge as he thrust his right hand under his coat "Fair play—I don't know who you are, but I know what you want!" said Yancy, the light in his frank gray eyes deepening Murrell laughed and took a forward step At the same moment Slosson snatched up a heavy club from the back of the bar and dealt Yancy a murderous blow. A single startled cry escaped the Scratch Hiller; he struck out wildly as he lurched toward Murrell, who drew his knife and drove it into his shoulder. Yancy dropped heavily to the floor.

How long the boy slept he never knew, but he awoke with a start and a confused sense of things. It was evidently very late, probably long after midnight—but where was his Uncle Bob?

He sank back on his pillow intent and listening. A chilling terror that gripped him fast and would not let him go, mounted to his brain.

Where was his Uncle Bob? Why didn't he come to bed? Memories of idle tales of men foully dealt with in these lonely taverns flashed through his mind

He slid from the bed, and for a long moment stood cold and shaking, his every sense on the alert. With infinite caution he got into his trousers and again paused to listen, since he feared his least movement might betray him. Next he secured his pack, and was ready for flight.

Encumbered by his belongings, but with no mind to sacrifice them, he stepped out upon the shed and made his way down the slant of the roof to the eaves. He tossed his bundle to the ground and going down on his knees lowered his rifle, letting the muzzle fall lightly against the side of the shed as it left his hand, then he lay flat on his stomach and, feet first, wriggled out into space When he could no longer preserve his balance, he gave himself a shove away from the eaves and dropped clear of the building.

As he recovered himself he was sure he heard a door open and close and threw himself prone on the ground, where the black shadow cast by the tavern hid him At the same moment two dark figures came from about a corner of the building He could just distinguish that they carried some heavy burden between them and that they staggered as they moved

They passed out of sight, and breathless and patsied, Hannibal crept about a corner of the tavern. He must be sure!

Presently he heard a distant sound—a splash—surely it was a splash—

A little later the men came up the lane, to disappear in the direction of the tavern Hannibal peered after them His very terrors, while they wrenched and tortured him, gave him a desperate kind of courage As the gloom hid the two men, he started forward again He reached the end of the cornfield, climbed a fence, and entered a deadening of timber. In the long wet grass he found where the men had dragged their burden He reached down and swept his hand to and fro—once—twice—the third time his little palm came away red and discolored

There was the first pale premonition of dawn in the sky and as he hurried on the light grew, and the black trunks of trees detached themselves from the white mist that filled the woods and which the dawn made visible. There was light enough for

"You Shall Be My Guest for the Night."

him to see that he was following the trail left by the men He emerged upon the bank of the Elk river, white like the woods with its ghostly night sweat.

The dull beat of the child's heart quickened as he gazed out on the swift current that was hurrying on with its dreadful secret. Then the full comprehension of his loss seemed to overwhelm him and he was utterly desolate. Sobs shook him, and he dropped on his knees, holding fast to the stock of his rifle.

"Uncle Bob—Uncle Bob, come back! Can't you come back!" he wailed miserably Presently he staggered to his feet As he glanced about, he saw almost at his feet a dug out, made from a single poplar log It was secured to an overhanging branch by a length of a wild grape-vine With one last fearful look off across the deadening in the direction of the tavern, he crept down to the water's edge and entered the canoe. In a moment, he had it free from its lashing and the rude craft was bumping along the bank in spite of his best efforts with the paddle Then a favoring current caught it and swept it out toward the center of the stream.

CHAPTER VII.

On the River.

Betty stood under a dripping umbrella in the midst of a downpour

Just arrived by the four-horse coach that plied regularly between Washington and Georgetown, she had found the long board platform beside the canal crowded with her fellow passengers Suddenly she became aware of a tall, familiar figure moving through the crowd It was Bruce Carrington. At the same moment he saw her, and with a casual air that quite deceived her, approached.

"You're leaving tonight? he asked

'Yes—isn't it miserable the way it rains? And why are they so slow—why don't they hurry with that boat?'

'It's in the last lock now,' explained Carrington, and gathering up Betty's hand luggage, he helped her aboard

By the time they had reached Wheeling, Betty had quite parted with whatever superficial prejudice she might have had concerning river men This particular one was evidently a very nice river-man, an exception to his kind He made choice of the steamer on which she should continue her journey, and thoughtfully chose The Naiad—a slow boat

"I haven't a thing to offer her—this is plain madness of mine!" he kept telling himself, and then the expression of his face would become grim and determined No more of the river for him—he'd get hold of some land and go to raising cotton; that was the way money was made

Slow as The Naiad was, the days passed much too swiftly for him. When Memphis was reached their friendly intercourse would come to an end There would be her brother, of whom she had occasionally spoken—he would be pretty certain to have the ideas of his class.

The days, like any other days, dwindled The end of it all was close at hand Another twenty four hours and Carrington reflected there would only be good by to say

We will reach New Madrid tonight,' he told her They were watching the river, under a flood of yellow moonlight

Carrington, with his back against a stanchion, watched her discontentedly

You'll be mighty glad to have this over with, Miss Malroy—" he said at length, with a comprehensive sweep toward the river

"Yes—shan't you?' and she opened her eyes questioningly

"No," said Carrington with a short laugh, drawing a chair near hers and sitting down

Betty, in surprise, gave him a quick look, and then as quickly glanced away from what she encountered in his eyes As she looked, suddenly pale points of light appeared on a distant headland

'Is that New Madrid—Oh, is it, Mr Carrington?' she cried eagerly

"I reckon so," but he did not alter his position

'But you're not looking!'

"Yes, I am—I'm looking at you I reckon you'll think me crazy, Miss Malroy—presumptuous and all that—but I wish Memphis could be wiped off the map, and that we could go on like this for ever!"

"You mustn't talk so—I am nothing to you—"

Yes, you are You're everything to me,' said Carrington doggedly. "You shall love me—" She was powerless in his embrace She felt his breath on her cheek then he kissed her Suddenly his arms fell at his side, his face was white "I was a brute to do that—Betty, forgive me! I am sorry—so, I can't be sorry!"

They were alongside the New Madrid wharf now, and a certain young man who had been impatiently watching The Naiad's lights ever since they became visible crossed the gang plank with a bound

Betty—why in the name of goodness did you ever choose this tub?" said the new comer

'Charley!'

Carrington stepped back This must be the brother who had come up the river from Memphis to meet her—but her brother's name was Tom! He looked this stranger—this Charley—over with a hostile eye offended by his good looks, his confident manner, in which he thought he detected an air of ownership, as if—certainly he was holding her hands longer than was necessary An instant later, when Betty, remembering, turned to speak to him, his place by the rail was deserted

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All that day Hannibal was haunted by the memory of what he had heard and seen at Slosson's tavern More than this, there was his terrible sense of loss, and the grief he could not master Marking the course of the road westward, he clung to the woods where his movements were as stealthy as the very shadows themselves

Presently, as he stumbled forward, he came to a small clearing in the center of which stood a log dwelling The place seemed deserted

Tilted back in a chair by the door of this house a man was sleeping The hoot of an owl from a near by oak roused him He yawned and stretched himself, thrusting out his fat legs and extending his great arms. Then becoming aware of that small figure which had stolen up the path as he slept and now stood before him in the uncertain light, he fell to rubbing his eyes with the knuckles of his plump hands

"Who are you?" he demanded

"I'm Hannibal Wayne Hazard," said the boy. The man quitted his chair.

"Well—I am glad to know you Hannibal Wayne Hazard I am Slocum Price—Judge Slocum Price sometime major-general of militia and ex member of congress, to mention a few of those honors my fellow countrymen have thrust upon me' He made a sweeping gesture with his two hands outspread and bowed ponderously

The boy saw a man of sixty, whose gross and battered visage told its own story There was a sparse white frost about his ears, and his eyes pale blue and ominent, looked out from under beetling brows He wore a shabby plum-colored coat and tight, drab breeches About his fat neck was a black stock with just a suggestion of soiled linen showing above it His figure was corpulent and unwieldy

"You don't belong in these parts, do you?' asked the judge, when he had completed his scrutiny

'No sir, answered the boy He glanced off down the road, where lights were visible among the trees 'What town is that?'

"Pleasantville—which is a lie—but I am neither sufficiently drunk nor sufficiently sober to cope with the possibilities your question offers Have you so much as fifty cents about you?" and the judge's eyes narrowed to a slit above their folds of puffy flesh Hannibal, keeping his glance fixed on the man's face fell back a step 'I can't let you go if you are penniless—I can't do that!" cried the judge, with sudden vehemence You shall be my guest for the night They're a pack of thieves at the tavern,' he lowered his voice. "I know 'em for they've plucked me! He rested a fat hand on the boy's shoulder and drew him gently but firmly into the shanty With flint and steel he made a light, and presently a candle was sputtering in his hands He fitted it into the neck of a tall bottle, and as the light flared up the boy glanced about him

The interior was mean [illegible] with its rough walls, dirt floor and black, cavernous fireplace A shake down bed in one corner of the room was tastefully screened from the public gaze by a tattered quilt

"Boy, don't be afraid Look on me as a friend," urged the judge

"I reckon I'll be glad to stop," answered Hannibal

Such confidence is inspiring Are you hungry?"

'Yes, sir," replied Hannibal

"What do you say to cold fish?" the judge smacked his lips to impart a relish to the idea "I dare swear I can find you some corn bread into the bargain" He began to assemble the dainties he had enumerated "Here you are!" he cleared his throat impressively, while benignity shone from every feature of his face A moment since you allowed me to think you were solvent to the extent of fifty cents— Hannibal looked puzzled 'I wonder if you could be induced to make a temporary loan of that fifty cents? The sum involved is really such a ridiculous trifle I don't need to point out to you the absolute moral certainty of my returning it at an early date"

It was not the loss of his money that Hannibal most feared, and the coin passed from his possession into his host's custody

"Thank you, my boy! I must step down to the tavern—when I return please God, we shall know more of each other' While he was still speaking, he had produced a jug from behind the quilt that screened his bed, and now took himself off into the night

Left alone, Hannibal gravely seated himself at the table What the judge's larder lacked in variety it more than made up for in quantity, and the boy was grateful for this fact Presently he heard the judge's heavy, shuffling step as he came up the path from the road, and a moment later his gross bulk of body filled the doorway Breathing hard and perspiring the judge entered the shanty, but his eagerness kept him silent until he had established himself in his chair beside the table, with the jug and a cracked glass at his elbow Then, bland and smiling, he turned toward his guest

'My tenderest regards, Hannibal! and he nodded over the rim of the cracked glass his shaking hand had carried to his lips. Twice the glass was filled and emptied and then again his roving, watery eyes rested meditatively on the child Have you a father?' he asked suddenly Hannibal shook his head "A mother?"

They both of them done died years and years ago," answered the boy 'I can't tell you how long back it was, but I reckon I don't know much about it. I must have been a small child"

"Ho—a small child" cried the judge, laughing He cocked his head on one side and surveyed Hannibal Wayne Hazard with a glance of comic seriousness "In God's name what do you call yourself now?"

'I'm most ten,' said Hannibal, with dignity

"I can well believe it," responded the judge 'Where did you come from?"

"From across the mountains"

'And where are you going?"

'To west Tennessee"

'Have you any friends there?"

'Yes, sir"

You've money enough to see you through?" and what the judge intended for a smile of fatherly affection became a leer of infinite cunning

'I got ten dollars"

"Ten dollars—' the judge smacked his lips once "Ten dollars—" he repeated, and smacked his lips twice

The purple flush on the judge's face where the dignity that belonged to age had gone down in wreck deepened

He quitted his chair and, lurching somewhat as he did so, began to pace the floor

Take me for your example, boy! You may be poor, you may possibly be hungry—you'll often be thirsty but through it all you will remain that splendid thing—a gentleman! Perhaps you'll contend that the old order is overthrown that family has gone to the devil? You are right, and there's the pity of it! The social fabric is tottering—I can see it totter— and he tottered himself as he said this

Well I'm an old man—the spectacle won't long offend me I'll die presently." He was so profoundly moved by the thought that he could not go on His voice broke, and he buried his face in his arms A sympathetic moisture had gathered in the child's eyes He slipped from his chair and stole to the judge's side

"I'm mighty sorry you're going to die"

Bless you, Hannibal!" cried the judge, looking wonderfully cheerful, despite his recent bitterness of spirit "I'm not experiencing any of the pangs of mortality now My dissolution ain't a matter of tonight or tomorrow—there's some life in Slocum Price yet, for all the rough usage, eh? I think you'd better go to bed '

I reckon I had," agreed Hannibal, slipping from his chair

Well, take my bed back of the quilt You'll find a hoe there You can dig up the dirt under the shuck tick with it—which helps astonishingly What would the world say if it could know that Judge Slocum Price makes his bed with a hoe!"

Hannibal retired behind the quilt. "Do you find it comfortable?' the judge asked, when the rustling of the shuck tick informed him that the child had lain down

Yes, sir," said the boy.

"Have you said your prayers?" inquired the judge

No sir I ain't said 'em yet"

"Well, say them now Religion is as becoming in the young as it is respectable in the aged I'll not disturb you tonight for it is God's will that I should stay up and get very drunk"

CHAPTER VIII.

Boon Companions.

Some time later the judge was aware of a step on the path beyond his door, and glancing up, saw the tall figure of a man pause on his threshold A whispered curse slipped from between his lips Aloud he said

Is that you, Mr Mahaffy?' He got no reply, but the tall figure, propelled by very long legs, stalked into the shanty and a pair of keen, restless eyes deeply set under a high, bald head were bent curiously upon him

'I take it I'm intruding," the new comer said sourly

'Why should you think that, Solomon Mahaffy? When has my door been closed on you? the judge asked

"His Grandson Is Back of That Curtain, Now—Asleep in My Bed"

but there was a guilty deepening of the flush on his face Mr Mahaffy glanced at the jug, at the half emptied glass, lastly at the judge himself

You seem to be raising first rate hell all by yourself '

"Oh, be reasonable, Solomon You'd gone down to the steamboat landing," said the judge plaintively By way of answer Mahaffy shot him a contemptuous glance 'Take a chair—do Solomon!" entreated the judge

"When did I ever sneak a jug into my shanty?" asked Mahaffy sternly, evidently conscious of entire rectitude in this matter.

'I deplore your choice of words, Solomon," said the judge 'You know damn well that if you'd been here I couldn't have got past your place with that jug' But let's deal with conditions Here's the jug, with some liquor left in it—here's a glass Now what more do you want?"

Mr Mahaffy drew near the table

'Sit down,' urged the judge

"I hope you feel mean?" said Mahaffy

'If it's any satisfaction to you, I do," admitted the judge

"You ought to" Mahaffy drew forward a chair The judge filled his glass

"What's the news from the landing?

Mahaffy brought his fist down on the table

"I heard the boat churning away round back of the bend, then I saw the lights, and she tied up and they tossed off the freight Then she churned away again and her lights got back of the trees on the bank There was the lap of waves on the shore, and I was left with the half dozen miserable loafers would crawl out to see the boat come in That's the news six days a week!'

By the river had come the judge, tentatively hopeful, but at heart expecting nothing, therefore immune to disappointment and equipped for failure By the river had come Mr Mahaffy, as unfit as the judge himself and for the same reason but sour and bitter with the world, believing always in the possibility of some miracle of regeneration

At the judge's elbow Mr. Mahaffy changed his position with nervous suddenness Then he folded his long arms

'You asked if there was any news, Price, while we were waiting for the boat a raft tied up to the bank, the fellow aboard of it had a man he'd fished up out of the river, a man who'd been pretty well cut to pieces

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Giggles.

A SCOUT

Small Kid—Say, loidy, yer look swell in dat coat If yer cares to give me yer name and address I'll mention yer to me big brudder He's just got chucked by a girl, an' is lookin for another.

TAKE A LESSON.

He—Here I've spent four years courting you and now I'm thrown down for another fellow.

She—Well, he spent less time and more money. That's the reason.

WARNING

Cholly—Hey! What's the excitement?

Jimmie—I see youse got a new mustache comin and I want to warn ya Our teacher says dere's microbes in mustaches and such things

TENDER-HEARTED

Sister—Here Willie show Mr Slowpoke how to kiss your sister

Brother—Aw! I don't like to belittle him.

NEXT!

She—Well, I've given you your answer Now, what do you propose to do about it?

He—I propose to propose to Miss Richquick now.

PROBABLY

Cholly—Weally, I must bwush the cobwebs from my bwain!

Miss Charpe—Don't you think it would be simpler to brush the brain from the cobwebs?

AT THE THEATRE.

THE ARCADE.

"The Governor's Son."

"The Governor's Son," by Hodge Holmes a new musical comedy, will be the attraction at the Arcade theatre for three days commencing Monday, February 26th This entertaining musical show has been produced at an enormous expense and is one of the few productions that has had the honor of taking the road with the original cast which includes the names of some few notable stars The notable Messrs Hodge Holmes and Nat Arthurs have surrounded themselves with a company that would be hard to beat These comedians are in no way new in this part of the country as they have been in the larger cities with the Jolly Pathfinders and other musical successes The newspapers in the larger cities have given the show a welcome greeting and it is hoped the people of Connellsville and surrounding towns will avail themselves of this opportunity to witness the production as it will be long and pleasantly remembered The chorus is in keeping with the rest of the company, it is beautifully costumed and consists of pretty girls There are eight musical numbers, a chorus of pretty girls and three comedians

Plays and Players

Cecelia Loftus made a big success in San Francisco

Lewis Waller is making a big revival of Henry V" in London.

Mrs Patrick Campbell's son, Alan Campbell, has written a play.

Marie Tempest is to appear in London in a comedy called "At the Barn.

Clara Blandick is appearing in a sketch called 'Behind the Footlights '

Hope Booth is to have the only feminine role in a playlet called 'The Life."

Mrs Fiske is to appear in New York in an English comedy entitled 'Lady Patricia "

Kathryn Osterman is soon to appear in a one-act operetta called "A Persian Garden."

Charles Rann Kennedy, author of "The Servant in the House,' has written another play

Jefferson De Angelis is soon to go into vaudeville with a sketch entitled The Traveling Dentist."

Thurlow Bergen has established a stock company in St Paul, with Elsie Esmond as the leading woman.

Aphie James, the widow of Louis James, is to appear in vaudeville in an act called Holding a Husband '

A comic opera by Wallace Irwin, called 'The Dove of Peace," is to be produced next October in New York

A musical comedy is to be produced by Henry Savage called Somewhere Else ' Taylor Holmes will be the star.

At the Abbey theatre Dublin, Nugent Monck's School of Acting recently gave a performance of "McDarragh's Wife '

Philip Bartholomae, author of 'Over Night," will have his new comedy, Little Miss Brown,' produced by W A Brady.

'The Glassblower" is the title of a lyrical comedy by John Philip Sousa which will have its premier at New Haven Conn, within two months.

Report in Coal Industry.

WASHINGTON Feb 24—Representative Buchanan of Illinois, has introduced a resolution in the Senate calling upon the Department of Commerce and Labor for a report on the anthracite coal industry in Pennsylvania He especially desires to know whether any of the anthracite railroads are engaged in the mining or selling of coal and to what extent the coal lands are owned by the railroads

Deflects Rays

To lessen the glare of automobile headlights a French inventor has brought out a lamp closed with horizontal strips of aluminum blackened on top to prevent the light being reflected upward, and polished beneath to throw the rays upon the road

DOUBLY PROVEN.

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BRILLIANT SHOTS FEATURE CONTEST

Cokers Defeat Johnstown in Game Marked by Absence of Roughness.

THE FINAL SCORE IS 57-36

Just Trifle Too One Sided to Be Really Interesting But Great Marksmanship Brings Forth Rounds of Applause—Fogarty Had Five Men.

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
Connellsville 57; Johnstown 36.
Uniontown 34; Charleroi 23.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Johnstown	41	16	.719
Uniontown	40	18	.690
Connellsville	33	27	.550
Charleroi	24	32	.429

GAMES TONIGHT.
No games scheduled.

GAMES MONDAY.
Connellsville at Uniontown.
Johnstown at Charleroi.

Joe Fogarty and four other Jawns trooped into the cage on the West Side last evening and paraded out again at the end of 40 minutes of play, losers by a 57-36 score. The Jawns were meek as proverbial lambs, largely because they had to be Josephus left Winnie Kinkaide at home to nurse a bolt and had only four others besides himself. He could take no chances. On the other hand the Cokers seemed to have had enough of the rough stuff, following last Tuesday's exhibition, and deported themselves perfectly.

Usually a fracas with Johnstown means several near-fights and a plethora of fouls. 'Twas different last evening and the fans were treated to a perfect exhibition. The score was never quite close enough to make the game exciting, but to offset that came a shower of baskets from all angles, the long ones that look nice from the side lines. That Johnstown did not win was largely due to the fact that the breaks went otherwise. One Newman, he of the shadowy hirsute adornment, made too many tries for the fans to keep track of and only got one. His other basket was a sure shot beneath the net. Newman had hard luck for his aim was nearly perfect. The ball simply refused to go through.

The Cokers did some plain and fancy shooting that enthused the crowd. Billy Kummer converted two of his three misses from the free line into field goals during the first half while his other basket was a deep one. Gid Dark negotiated a distant try that was a daisy. Beggs made one at a greater distance and Cavanaugh cared the longest shot of all in the opening session. The half ended 27 to 17 in favor of the Cokers. Neither side asked for a time out and the play was fast if gentle.

In the second half the Jawns improved a bit, but so did the Cokers. Doherty negotiated a pair of heetic heaves that sent fans into hysterics. Wohlfarth broke away from Kid Dark on the tap a couple of times and spilled the ball through for doubles, but the Kid was there with the bobs and scored as many as the clever Johnstown speed artist. Fogarty was jabbed in the eye quite accidentally, and Newman contracted a bad leg. These casualties were all that occurred save a scratch Billy Kummer got on the shoulder. It was a procession for the Cokers and the Jawns were never dangerous. The lineup:

Connellsville (57)		Johnstown (36)
Dark	right forward	Newman
Kummer	left forward	Fogarty
Cavanaugh	center	Keenan
Doherty	right guard	Mayham
Beggs	left guard	Wohlfarth

Field goals—Kummer 8, Beggs 4, Doherty 4, Dark 3, Cavanaugh 1, Fogarty 3, Wohlfarth 3, Newman 2, Keenan 1.

Foul goals—Kummer 17 out of 22; Fogarty 17 out of 23.

Referee—Alton.

Timers—Munroe and Connell.

Notes.

There was plenty of comedy.

Kummer was surely making some baskets.

Plugger Doherty broke loose early in the second half and scored three doubles in rapid fashion.

Bush Beggs was there with some pretty shots, long and otherwise.

Newman uncorked a long one in the second half. He tried often enough to have garnered a dozen.

Bobby Mayham made one try and missed basket, backboard and everything.

Kummer poked his finger into Fogarty's eye. It was quite accidental but gave Joe an excuse to shuffle off stage for a while.

Dark shot a pretty one to Beggs, who completed the play with a clever basket. It made point No. 17.

Cavanaugh, Doherty and Kummer all tried to tap the ball through the basket before Billy finally succeeded.

Doherty dribbled down the floor in the second half, shot to Dark, who, in turn, passed to Kummer and another two points went up for the Cokers.

Dark was busy elsewhere when Wohlfarth made his only basket in the first half.

Beggs made a neat one-handed shot for the 43rd point. He got some applause.

In the second half Fogarty dribbled the length of the floor and made a basket.

The first part of the second half saw hardly any fouls committed. In the first 10 minutes three had been called on the Cokers and one on Johnstown.

Fogarty was headed hard for the basket when Wohlfarth bumped him and the Cokers got the ball. Another time Newman was hanging on to Wohlfarth and Johnstown lost the ball again.

The attendance was somewhat disappointing. Probably gentle hint to eliminate pugilism as a side issue.

Only three more games at home. Charleroi, Johnstown and Uniontown come in order. The Cokers close the season at Uniontown. Help!

Baseball Notes.

Catcher Bunny Pearce, last season with the Oakland Pacific Coast League team, has signed with the Indianapolis team.

The South Atlantic league season will be divided, making two pennant races to be run for the benefit of the "Sallie" fans.

President Garry Herrmann, of the Cincinnati Reds, is now a newspaper publisher, having purchased the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

When it comes to the latest style in men's scenery, Rebel Oakes, of the Cardinals, has the other big leaguers looking like Happy Hooligans under a truck.

On the eve of his departure for the Giants' training grounds at Marlin, Tex., Fred Merkle was tendered a banquet and presented with a diamond scarf pin by Toledo fans.

Another "Coombs Day" is scheduled at Colby College next commencement with the pitcher of the world's champions in the box for the Alumni nine against the Varsity.

It is said the Philadelphia Nationals will drop their nickname "Quakers" and be known as as "Eagles" the coming season. Looks like some one put one over on the Elks and Moose.

"Gene" Foster will again be in charge of the grandstand at the Boston National league park. Foster is 74 years old, and the season of 1912 marks his 33rd years at the old grounds.

Manager Callahan believes he has a real understudy for Billy Sullivan in catcher Kreitz. It was a bingle by Kreitz that won the first game for the White Sox in the Chicago series last fall.

The Chicago Cubs have signed Pitcher Marshall, of last season's Rockford team in the Wisconsin-Illinois league. The youngster, who weighs 200 pounds and stands six feet, 3 inches, won 16 of the 18 games pitched for Rockwood.

"Assistant manager" is a new wrinkle in baseball, but it is catching on fast. Among the former big league stars who will "assist" the coming season are Willie Keeler, with Brooklyn; Monte Cross, with the St. Louis Browns; Kid Gleason, with the White Sox, and Duke Farrell, with the Boston Nationals.

What league his Rochester Hustlers are champions of, gets the goat of Owner Chapin. Rochester won the pennant in the Eastern league last season, and then the name of the league was changed to International. How a team can be champions of a league that has not had a season, and how it can be champions of a league now out of existence, caused Chapin's nanny to beat it.

With the Boxers.

Kid Lavigne, the former lightweight champion, is going into vaudeville.

The 16-year-old son of Bob Fitzsimmons weighs 156 pounds and is said to be a clever boxer.

CHAUFFEUR FACES TRIAL FOR MILLIONAIRE'S MURDER

Widow of the Slain Man Expected to Be Principal Witness for Defense.

Special to The Courier.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24.—A lively public interest is manifested in the trial of Samuel R. Timothy, the Hillsborough chauffeur who shot and killed J. J. Moore, a millionaire clubman, in San Mateo January 27. A venire has been drawn and other preparations completed for beginning the trial in the Superior Court at Redwood City next Monday. Mrs. Moore, widow of the slain man, is expected to be the chief witness for the defense.

Several months before the tragedy Moore had sued for divorce, charging cruelty and other things, but not specifically accusing his wife of misconduct. Mrs. Moore filed a cross-complaint, asking for divorce on the ground of cruelty. The court denied a divorce to either. Mrs. Moore was charged with many offenses and too much familiarity with servants and others, and serious counter-charges were made. Timothy, the chauffeur who is to be tried for murder, was one of the witnesses for Mrs. Moore. The divorce suit attracted unusual attention because the name of Rear Admiral Thomas S. Phelps, retired, was brought into the case in Moore's cross-complaint.

On the night of January 27 last Moore was called to his home by a detective whom he had employed to watch his wife, who had continued to occupy their home in Hillsborough, a fashionable suburb of San Francisco. The husband lay in wait at the gate of the grounds, and about 10:30 Timothy drove up in his employer's machine. According to the statement of Moore before he died Mrs. Moore was in the automobile with the chauffeur. Moore jumped from his place of concealment and opened fire. Timothy jumped from the car and took refuge behind a tree and fired one shot. The shot struck Moore in the abdomen and he died a few hours later. The friends of Timothy believe that he never will be convicted of murder, especially as Moore in his dying statement admitted that he had fired the first shot.

NO LIGHT HAS BEEN SHED UPON STRANGE MURDER CASE

Canadian Authorities Have Never Been Able to Learn Who Slayed Ethel Kinrade.

Special to The Courier.

HAMILTON, Ont., Feb. 24.—It will be three years tomorrow since the murder of Ethel Kinrade furnished Hamilton with the greatest sensation of the kind in its history and added to the criminal annals a mystery that the best detective talent in America has failed to unravel.

Ethel Kinrade, the daughter of an eminent respectable family, was slain in broad daylight in her parents' home in the fashionable section of this city. Her sister, Florence, the only eye-witness of the tragedy, from the first declared that the murderer was a tramp. Though the act appeared incredibly brutal and audacious and the motive inadequate, the version was at first accepted by the authorities. Then discrepancies in Florence Kinrade's story appeared. The actions of her family were inexplicable. The tramp story was soon discredited and discarded.

The police inquiry, while it failed to find any trace of the murderer, brought to light a remarkable condition of affairs in the Kinrade family. The investigation showed that Florence Kinrade, of attractive appearance and fond of gay life, was the pet of the household, while the other daughter, the slain one, was the family drudge. Florence was a concert hall singer and a frequenter of gay summer resorts, while Ethel remained at home and did the work. While the others lived in comfort even luxury, Ethel Kinrade was given a mere closet for a bedroom and a bunk in which to rest.

At the preliminary hearing Florence Kinrade was subjected to the severest cross-examination, but her story of the tramp remained unshaken and the other members of the family refused to throw any light on the crime. From time to time there have been rumors of possible arrests and only a few weeks ago it was reported that the case was to be re-opened and that a famous private detective had discovered a clew to the murderer. But so far as anything is known now the mystery is likely to remain unsolved and remembered for many years as the most baffling and absorbingly interesting criminal case in the records of Canadian crime.

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